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TOWN AND COMMUNITY.

Local Brieflets About Some People You Know.

Many Short Items Concerning the Happenings of The Week.

John Day was in town Sunday.

A. O. Carpenter visited Willits last week.

March has been somewhat like a lion for the past few days.

Ferdinand Iversen opened the Gualala school last Monday.

Miss Teresa Dougherty opened the Ornbaun school last Monday.

Thomas Parsons, of Largo, had business at the county seat the first of the week.

Geo. E. Frame, a young man of Anderson valley, died last Sunday of consumption.

Charley Smith, son of Sheriff Smith, came up from San Francisco Sunday on a brief visit.

Misses Ida Harris and Anna Banks went to the city on Sunday's train for a brief business visit.

Miss Esther Williams will teach the Wheelbarrow school this term. She opened school Monday.

Newton Ornbaun, of Yorkville, and John Burger, of Boonville, were in town Saturday on business.

Ed Davidson is now handling the ribbons on the J. D. Parrish stage line between Hubbard's and Scotia.

The stock of the Mendocino County Electric Company owned by W.V. Lockwood has been sold to satisfy an assessment.

F. M. Weger, a traveling salesman for a prominent San Francisco firm, was circulating among friends in town this week.

W. I. Rice, formerly postmaster at Willits, is now an enterprising carpenter in Skaguay. He may go to Nome in the spring.

Smith & Gibson and Edwards Bros. bought 50 head of fine cattle from Lake county the first of the week. They will be used for the local market.

Christopher Eiffert, of Santa Cruz, and Miss Bessie Hagans, one of Mendocino's popular school ma'ams, were married in San Francisco on February 28th.

Geo. Vaughan, formerly of Willits, has returned from Skaguay and will leave in a few days for Cape Nome. His wife (nee Cora Rice) will join him later in the spring.

Michael Cunningham, who has been visiting the family of the late Patrick Cunningham in this city, is confined to his bed this week with a severe attack of bronchitis.

Luther Redemeyer returned from San Jose Sunday, where he had gone to place his son Fred in the normal school training department. Fred will be able to enter the normal proper next term.

David Gill has returned from Eureka where he has been superintendent of a large mill for the past two years, to assume the management of the DeHaven mill which will be started up in a few weeks.

Ed Porter, the jolly clerk of the Grand Hotel at Fort Bragg, has resigned his position and intends to leave for Cape Nome in the spring. Ed passed thru town this week for Upper Lake where he will visit with his folks for a few days before taking his departure for the frozen gold fields. Success to you, Ed, old boy.

W. E. Doty, the optician is at the Palace this week.

Tom Orr and wife of Hearst were visiting in town the first of the week.

Joe and Emmet McGimsey were over from Boonville on a visit last Saturday.

C. P. McGimsey, one of Boonville's pioneer democrats, was at the county seat Tuesday on business.

Austin Muir, the Scott's Valley stockman, brot down a band of hogs to the local market last Saturday.

Miss Blythe Lierly, who has been spending the winter in the city, passed thru town this week en route to the Lierly resort.

W. W. Seaman, formerly deputy Superintendent of Public Instruction, was in our city this week in the interest of the American Book Co.

Mrs. Matilda Houston who has been an inmate of the county hospital for some time, was committed to the asylum last Wednesday.

William Hensley, formerly of this county, died in Humboldt county this week of pneumonia. He has a father, four brothers and a sister in this county to mourn his departure.

District Attorney Poage went to Point Arena Saturday to attend to some criminal matter and returned Tuesday. The matter which called him to the coast was settled and dismissed.

There are many people in the county who could possibly keep summer boarders. The number of tourists that will visit the county this year will be larger than any previous year. Parties desiring to keep boarders should read the ad of the C. & N W. R'y Co.'s in another column.

Manager Sturtevant has arranged a meet between the U. H. S. track team and one selected from members of the Stanford '01 class. The same teams met last year and a tied score was the result. So to overbalance this Captain Thomas has developed a phenomenal team and a "hot" contest is sure to ensue. The teams will meet on March 17th.

C. Warren Blake, the musician, who left here last spring with one of Chas. Kent's bicycles, has at last been apprehended. He was arrested at Hanford for taking $40 that didn't belong to him and lodged in jail. Sheriff Smith heard of it and sent a deputy to Hanford, who brot Blake up last Sunday. The trial has been set for Saturday before Judge Critchfield.

Dr. John S. Hogshead, who recently graduated from the St. Louis College of Physicians and Surgeons, has returned to this county after spending a vacation with relatives in Virginia. Dr. Hogshead is a full fledged physician now and has located at Laytonville to practice his profession. The people of Laytonville are to be congratulated upon having Dr. Hogshead locate in their midst.

We were shown this week a letter from Washington, D. C., to J. B. Morse of this city just received concerning Mr. Morse's claim against the government in connection with the French Spoliation claims. One of Mr. Morse's claims grows out of the seizure of the ship Joanna, Archibald Boggs, master, with which ship some of Mr. Morse's ancestors were connected. The letter above referred to calls for some further data which Mr. Morse will supply.

Sunday's Chronicle contained a full half page of reading matter narrating the exploits of our worthy game warden, W. F. Ornbaun. The article was written by Helen Grey, the Chronicle reporter who accompanied the Warden on one of his trips. Mr. Ornbaun, while game warden, made 19 arrests and secured a conviction in every case. Mr. Ornbaun has shown himself to be in favor of enforcing the existing laws and would make a good city marshal and should receive the hearty support of all law abiding citizens.

THE WINNING TICKET.

Ukiah Democracy in Council.

HARMONY RULES

A Stirring Platform and Strong Ticket.

Municipal Improvements Strongly Recommended. Economy the Watch Word.

The Democrats held their city convention Tuesday evening at the city hall. All of the delegates were present but W. W. Porterfield, who was represented by a proxy. Quite a large crowd of the "unterrified" came out to enjoy a democratic love feast.

The meeting was called to order by J. B. Sanford, chairman of the city central committee. J. C. Ruddock was elected chairman and J. R. Thomas secretary.

A committee on platform, consisting of J. B. Sanford, J. Q. White and M. A. Thomas was appointed, who after a ten minutes recess reported.

THE PLATFORM.

The Democrats of the City of Ukiah, in convention assembled, reaffirm the principles and tenets of the Democratic party as enunciated in the Chicago platform of 1896.

We proclaim our unalterable adherence to the principles set forth in the Declaration of Independence and are in favor of a Democratic form of government on the lines laid down in our constitution, and by its framers, and are strenuously opposed to the doctrines of corporate greed, monopoly, favoritism, trusts, imperialism and protection to the wealthy, which keeps the Republican party in power.

We condemn the national Republican party for its vacillating un-American policy and its subserviency to trust rule and influence.

We favor the public ownership of public utilities and urge the immediate completion and perfection of our city lighting system. We favor a reduction in water rates, and when feasible, we favor the maintenance of a municipal system of water works and free water for domestic purposes.

We are in favor of improving and beautifying our city and to that end we pledge our nominees for trustees to adopt a system of labeling the streets and numbering the houses of the municipality, so as to render a free postal delivery system possible in the near future; we are also in favor of better sidewalks and recommend that an ordinance be passed that will insure the building of better walks immediately.

In the administration of our city affairs we favor a broad, liberal, progressive policy consonant with the spirit of the age and economically administered.

The platform was unanimously adopted.

The convention then nominated W. F. Ornbaun for marshal, Jas. H. Carothers for clerk and F. H. Vaughan for treasurer. Four candidates were placed in nomination for trustees—Dr. E. B. Gibson, Oliver Cleveland, S. M. Orr and F. C. Albertson.

On the first ballot the vote was, Gibson, 8; Cleveland, 6; Orr, 4; Albertson, 2. Gibson was nominated and the second ballot taken as follows: Cleveland. 8; Orr, 2; Albertson 5. Cleveland was nominated and the third ballot resulted in 7 votes for Orr and 5 for Albertson.

Dr. E. B. Gibson, Oliver Cleveland and S. M. Orr were then declared to be the choice of the convention and their nominations were made unanimous.

The city central committee was then chosen as follows: J. B. Sanford, J. H. Seawell, D. M. Gibson, T. L. Crume, T. L. Cunningham, Maurice Hirsch and J. R. Thomas.

The following auditing committee was also elected: M. A. Thomas, R. W. Briggs, R. E. Donohoe, H. B. Smith, Chas. Bartlett.

After enthusiastic addresses by Messrs White and Ruddock the convention adjourned.

Boonville Pointers.

Mister man what prints the dispatch paper in Youkier:—Seein' as how cuzin Urier Heap was writin' for the Hanna Press, I says to my wife says I I'm goin' tew write some tew. But not havin a sun-in-law what can tech skule and another fat boy tew, I don't kno whuther I kin rite as good a letter as Urier and his regiment of assistants. But maybe I am as smart as Urier if he is a black publican. So havin' all my crop in I aint got much to due like Urier as he has got a rale rode tew bild and some coppar mines tew work and lots of more things to due.

Some how Sammy got the rodes fixed pritty good which don't rest well on Urier's bruther's stomach, for he wants to be superwiser hisself and now dat de mud is dried up somewhat there aint much of it fer him to throw. But Urier's bruther tinks dat he can keep de rodes so's yuse can get over dem in a kart. But I says to de feller what runs the stoar, says I, I doubt it. Fer the feller that says "what" is brakin a colt for the feller that wants the job of superviser an' I think as how he intends goin horsebak and go over the hills if he gits lected. The big hoss pollitican of the tother side drawn his small frizz around him and says as how Sammy's no good and the feller with the big mustash will kinder smile and look at the big hoss polician and say "No, Sammy's no good," but then who said that the big hoss and the big mustash was the only push here.

The fellers says Sammy's a purty good supervizer and they think the feller wot Urier calls the boss politican would make a good one and think as how ether of em kin beet the soks off the feller that hires the injuns tew shere his sheep, or the feller that looks wise on election day and says, "voted." The feller wot runs the blacksmith shop says this rane is goin to last for som time and Sammy's to blame for that. And I rekon if the boss political man beets the tother man for supervisor Sammy will be to blame for that.

The north wind aint blowd nor the sun aint shined for several days here so I aint seen no political bosses for two or three days. When they come to town after it clears up maybe I can git some more news. I will quit and give this letter to the man what chews Star and maybe he will see some one going to Ukire and axt him to hawl this over.

PAUL JONES.

Superior Court Notes.

Estate of Joseph Elledge, deceased —Motion for new trial argued and case submitted.

Estate of Geo. T. Rhodes, deceased Order setting apart a homestead for the use and benefit of the family of deceased.

People vs. Bank of Mendocino—Judge Burnett rendered decision to the effect that the Bank could not open up business again.

U. H. S. Notes.

No one could praise the weather of the past week, no one would praise it, yet it is the bringer of the greatest blessings; namely, those bright fields of flowers and sunshine which make "the young man's fancy lightly turn to thots of love." When Tennyson wrote the word thots of the preceding sentence it would be safe to say he did not spell it with the least labor, but rather shunned the nineteenth century journalistic production of the short method system, and inserted that "ugh" interjection of horror, thus unwittingly making repulsive some of his most pleasant thot.

The rain came, yet it did not thoroly destroy the pleasures of the week. There was "Sweet Lavender," a splendid little entertainment. The cause (charity) was noble and the program excellent, then what more could be desired?

The Kodinites met Saturday night to review and renew club spirit and enterprise. These girls, tho they be small in number, have far influencing power. Far up in the north, in the realm of gold, many a little dark eyed maiden learned to speak, with words of warmth, the name of this little club in thanks for the Christian presents received.

That worthy group, the Comitia, was not to be the shirking one and met with a good crowd. The boys enjoyed their regular music and jollity and drank deep of that fountain from whence all knowledge flows. J. Clay Hildreth favored the audience with a comic recitation, and with other lighter events, the debate of the evening came. "Be it resolved that England is just in her policy with the Transvaal." The affirmative contended this, that I, England, have, thru the courtesy, willingness and expressed desire of the Boers and to the undeniable benefit of the Boers, invested capital in the Transvaal and must do either one or two things in order that I may protect my own interests; run away and leave my property, or fight until my rights are acknowledged.

The negative with smooth tongues tried to work their cause thru by natural prejudices and the result was a victory for the affirmative. The club expects in the near future to obtain private club rooms, as a change of pasture is injurious to the goat's digestion.

The Recreation club, with its group of merry young folks are looking forward to a meeting this evening and as is the usual custom to have a royal good time. TAM.

Hagans-Effert.

On the last day of February, 1900, Miss Bessie Hagans, one of Ukiah's girls, and one of Mendocino's teachers, was united in marriage to Mr. Christopher Effert, whose home is in Santa Cruz, but recently of Willits.

The wedding took place at the residence of Ben W. Day, 1307 Octavia street, San Francisco, whose wife is a cousin of the bride. The parlors were beautifully decorated with smilax and acacia. The bride looked charming in a dress of white organdie over a dress of yellow satin.

The ceremony was performed at 8:30 p. m. by the Rev. W. M. White, of the West Side Christian Church. After a sumptuous wedding supper, the evening was spent in music and dancing. The bridal couple left on Thursday morning, amid a shower of rice, for their future home in Santa Cruz. R.

The K. of P's. give their anniversary ball to-night. It will be the social event of the season and will be largely attended.

Capt. Abe Marks went to the city last week to purchase an immense spring stock of goods.

EVENTS OF THE WEEK.

Important Occurrences of the Past Seven Days.

Summary of What has Just Occurred. Accidents and Incidents.

MENDOCINO, March 7.

It has been storming here for several days past and the roads are very muddy again. Sunday night it hailed considerable.

The high school was closed Monday and Tuesday on account of repairs being made on the furnace.

M. F. Murry, of San Francisco, arrived on Sunday's steamer to inspect the furnace which was placed in the high school some time ago.

Fred Perkins is at home now, and is making preparations to go to Cape Nome. Fred has a large circle of friends and he will be greatly missed.

Chas. Cavanaugh, an old and highly respected citizen of this place, passed away at his home last Wednesday. The funeral services were held Friday morning in the Catholic church, Father White officiating. Mr. Cavanaugh leaves a large family and many friends to mourn his loss.

Miss Caralyn Hoak, of Comptche, is visiting friends in town.

Miss Eva Milliken, of the class 1900 entertained the faculty, her classmates and friends last Friday evening. There were about fifty present, and those fortunate ones declare it was the finest party of the season.

Pete Duff, of Albion, was in town Saturday.

Miss Eva Barry, of this place, and F. O. Knack, of Albion, were united in marriage Thursday by the Rev. Anderson.

Miss Grace Gray opened the Noyo school Monday.

Miss Debo Wallace is visiting friends in San Francisco.

The Salvation Army is to "hold forth" at this place in the near future. MENDO.

LAYTONVILLE ITEMS.

LAYTONVILLE, March 6.

The farmers look rather blue at present, it having rained now for three days and appears to have no idea of letting up. The ground is so wet that they will be unable to plow for a week after it clears off and only half of the crops are in.

The principal amusement these rainy days is listening to the arguments of the South African element. The Boers (bores) seem to predominate, altho the British have two staunch moral supporters in the persons of Chas. Sheppard and W. S. Pinches.

The Long Valley school opened yesterday with Miss Ella Britton, the popular young teacher of Fort Bragg, in charge.

A. T. Branscomb, of Jackson valley, paid Laytonville a visit Sunday. Is it business that calls him up to Long valley so frequently?

Wm. Orender is just recovering from an attack of sickness, which is supposed to have been that disease dreaded by all the feminine sex, namely chicken-pox. His daughters, Amy and Alma have the same complaint now.

George Vassar returned Saturday from the county seat with a load of freight for Stoughton & Rose.

The Australian Aerolites performed here Friday night. Quite a number of the copper-coloreds attended as well as the pale-faces.

Steve Martindale has taken to trapping near the John Wilson place. I wonder what for? BESSIE.

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J. B. SANFORD,
EDITOR AND PROPRIETOR.

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CHAMP CLARK'S LETTER

Senator Hoar and the Philippines.

CAN'T AGREE WITH PARTY.

"In Gold We Trust," Say the New York Bankers.

A NEW HUMORIST IN THE HOUSE.

General Grosvenor Develops His Heretofore Latent Talent In That Direction—Makes Fun of the Boers. The Prosperity That the Trusts Have Brought—The Hay Treaty a Disgrace to the Country—The Macrum Disclosures.

[Special Washington Letter.]

Alas and alack! The goldbug bankers of New York, who claim to have more than Solomon's wisdom and who deem all other denizens of this republic fools, have run up against Uncle Sam at last—for counterfeiting. Think of that awful catastrophe, O ye silver idiots! Here is the way the Associated Press tells the astounding tale:

Members of the State Bankers' association, at their annual dinner in the Waldorf-Astoria hotel next Tuesday night, were to have eaten their ices out of receptacles indicative of the bankers' loyalty to the gold standard. The ices were to have been inclosed in pasteboard boxes made in imitation of a pile of eight huge gold coins, with milled edges. The top coin represented the reverse of the $10 goldpiece, much enlarged, and bearing the imprint of the San Francisco mint. The ordinary motto, "In God We Trust," had been changed to read "In Gold We Trust." The size of the imitation coin was about two-thirds larger than a double eagle.

The order was placed with a New York firm, who prepared a plaster cast of the cover of the box and made a model, which was submitted to a representative of the government for his opinion regarding its validity. He at once declared it a violation of chapter 127 of the laws of 1891, which prohibits any person from making "any token, device, print or impression, whether of metal or its compounds or of any other substance, in likeness, similitude as to design, color or the inscription thereon of any of the coins of the United States."

Chief Hazen was notified, and he seized the cast and model.

"In Gold We Trust" instead of "In God We Trust," the legend prepared by the fathers of the republic! Are we not progressing after the manner of the crab—backward—at a rapid rate?

Massachusetts Republicans.

Amid the din and dust of the conflict in congress and in the country touching the status of the Philippines students of our political history will wonder, indeed they must, what will be the outcome so far as Senator George Frisbie Hoar of Massachusetts is concerned. He is a venerable man, a scholar of great attainments, an orator of rare force, a historic personage who has cut a wide swath in the house and in the senate; he is at loggerheads and cross purposes with his party on this farreaching question. His colleague, Senator Henry Cabot Lodge, is a rampant jingo, just as his grandfather, George Cabot, was "a high flying Federalist," to borrow one of Thomas Jefferson's pet phrases. At this distance it appears that Senator Lodge rather than Senator Hoar represents the sentiments of the Massachusetts Republicans. But this appearance may be deceptive, for it must not be forgotten that Congressman McCall of that state kicked over the traces on the Porto Rican matter, which may be a straw to show which way the wind is blowing in the Old Bay State. The question which forces itself upon the minds of students of history in this connection is this: Will Massachusetts stand by Hoar, who is her chief mental luminary in Washington, or will she condemn him and treat him with contumely, as she did Roger Williams, Daniel Webster and Charles Sumner? She has lately refused to expunge or reverse the decree which banished Roger Williams—action which injured not the immortal Baptist preacher who has been with the saints for more than 200 years, but which is a blot upon the escutcheon of Massachusetts. Hoar as a martyr will be in good company with Williams, Webster and Sumner.

General Grosvenor's Humor.

I have frequently herein expressed my admiration for General Charles Henry Grosvenor's mental capacity. Until recently I had no idea that he was a humorist of the first water, but such he is nevertheless. Not long since Mr. Shafroth of Colorado, a capable, honest, courageous man, made a magnificent speech in the house urging that our government should offer its services to both English and Boers as pacificator, arbitrator or intervenor, whereupon General Grosvenor burst upon the house in role of humorist and made all sorts of fun of sympathy for the Boers, trying to make it appear that it was simply demagogy. From the manner in which the general's bitter humor was received by the Republican members it seems to be accepted by them that any sympathy with a weak people fighting bravely for liberty is demagogy. My guess is that General Grosvenor and his Republican friends will rue that humor—that inhuman humor. The Washington Post says editorially:

It seems hardly wise on the part of the administration or those pretending to speak for it to poohpooh the various expressions of American sympathy for the Boers as mere ebullitions of the "Irish-American" and "German-American" elements and therefore unworthy of serious consideration. In the first place, this sympathy is not confined to the classes mentioned. In the second place, even if it were so confined, that fact would not entitle it to the contempt of the administration. The truth is that a very large majority of the American people, including those of pure Anglo-Saxon descent, side with the Boers in this struggle and devoutly hope that they will preserve their liberties at last.

That the Irish hate England is natural enough. The sentiment is a thing of centuries. It is born in Irishmen and is part of their natures, but that feeling cannot be ascribed to the people of German extraction nor to those of us whose forefathers were English. It is absurd to say that these people have borrowed their prejudices from Ireland. The fact is that thousands of them do not share the Irish prejudices at all. This sympathy with the Boers is a logical and legitimate product of the circumstances of the case. We believe that the Boers have been badgered into this war by the machinations of a clique of greedy, piratical pawnbrokers, operating through Joseph Chamberlain, their accomplice, and this conviction is fortified not by the statements of Irish-Americans or German-Americans, but by the utterances of Englishmen in the British parliament and the British press, by the utterances of such men as Sir William Harcourt, Sir Edward Clarke, Sir Robert Reid, Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, Lord Fitzmaurice, Mr. James Bryce, Mr. Henry Labouchere, Mr. Frederic Harrison, Mr. Lecky, the historian, and others too numerous to mention.

The chances are that General Grosvenor and his hilarious friends will be laughing on the other side of their mouths in "the melancholy days of November."

Tax on Appetite.

Every once in awhile a gem appears in the columns of rural weeklies. Here is an entire stump speech of rare force condensed into very few words. It contains sense, wit, sarcasm and prophecy all combined. It was written by my friend, Hon. Wallace J. Davis, editor of The Pike County Post and member of the Missouri legislature, and runs as follows:

The American manufacturers of fruit jars met last week and agreed to advance prices on all their products 25 per cent. This is another blow at the fellow who wants to eat. It is a tax on appetite, as the paper trust prices are a tax on intelligence. Bet $4 if the Republicans win another election there will be air trusts in every state to put a tax on raw breath.

If anything terser or more comprehensive has been said recently on any political or philosophical question, it has escaped my attention.

Apropos of that I will say that the great prosperity which has come to the average citizen by reason of the trusts is clearly illustrated by the following sample items:

Battleax tobacco, that sold for 12½ cents per pound before the trust got hold of the big plants, has gone up to 36 cents per pound. Prosperity for the tobacco chewer.

The trust has made prices jump all along the line in rubber goods. A pair of rubbers which cost 65 cents last winter now cost a big Bland dollar, an advance of 35 cents, an indubitable evidence of prosperity to the buyer.

Canned goods which were formerly sold "two for a quarter" are now "15 straight," a little rise caused by the trusts and for the sole benefit and behoof of the trusts, which reduces the quantity of food consumed in thousands of homes.

Throwing Off the Mask.

The G. O. P. is gradually throwing off the mask and feeling its way to taking an out and out English stand, don't you know. The Hay-Pauncefote treaty is a disgrace to America—a shameful surrender of our rights, our historic position and our honor.

I do not believe that it will ever be ratified. Certainly one-third of the senators have some spark of Americanism left. If so, it will go to the wastebasket.

By the Clayton-Bulwer treaty the United States and England were to build or dig the isthmian canal jointly, own it jointly, pay for it jointly. That was bad enough and was never cordially accepted by our people. Blaine declared it null and void when he was secretary of state, and the people applauded him for so doing. Blaine, whatever else he was or was not, was an intense American, proud of his country, jealous of her honor.

By the Hay-Pauncefote treaty England graciously permits us to build the canal ourselves and foot all the bills, reserving to herself the same use of it that we have, provided we pledge ourselves never to fortify it! Could anything be more humiliating? By England's permission, eh? And in the western hemisphere? Wonder what old James Monroe would think of that? Spend $100,000,000 or $200,000,000 to make a world's highway which we are not to fortify and which an ingenious and industrious enemy of our country could by use of a little dynamite and in a few minutes render useless to us for a year or two! A lovely kettle of fish, surely!

It is whispered about that Mr. Secretary Hay wrote every word of that treaty and that Embassador Pauncefote's whole part in it was to sign it, which he is said to have done without crossing a "t" or dotting an "i." No doubt he signed it with astonishment, pride and pleasure—astonishment that we are so blind, pride that his country was gaining so much, pleasure that he was crowning his long diplomatic career with a treaty which contained a complete abandonment of the Monroe doctrine and which entitles him to an earldom, if not a dukedom, in the British peerage.

If this treaty can be ratified, then the administration can go the whole hog in its alliance with England, for its ratification will demonstrate that we have little, if any, national spirit left—the spirit of 1776.

The Macrum Matter.

Of course all the thick and thin, whole hog administration men will solemnly swear by Mark Hanna's boodle chest that no understanding, written or verbal, clearly stated or implied, exists with the oppressors of the Boers. Unfortunately for these political supplejacks there is a young man in this country named Macrum possessed of valuable information on this subject—information which he is by no manner of means loath to impart to a candid and startled world. He was lately and until recently American consul to Pretoria. The tale he tells is the history of the most disgraceful and humiliating chapter in American history, worse even than Lyman J. Gage's correspondence and dealings with the New York National City bank. Now, please remember that Mr. Macrum is not a wicked Democrat or pestiferous Populist, but he is an Ohio Republican. He declares that the English authorities opened, held up, censored and mutilated his correspondence with our government, whether written or telegraphic; that his patriotism and self respect rebelled against this, and he came home to inform his government as to this outrage and finds himself bounced for his pains. Moreover, he claims to have documentary evidence to prove his assertions. At first the state department undertook to whistle his grave charges down the wind, but it is said now that so many Republican senators and representatives have warned the administration against this course that the department is cooking up some sort of explanation. If Macrum is telling the truth, our government ought to give England 48 hours within which to make an abject apology and in which to punish the perpetrators of this monstrous outrage. If England refuses, then give Lord Pauncefote his passports and order Joseph Choate to come home at once, thereby breaking off diplomatic relations with Mr. Bull.

We are getting to be a world power with a vengeance, aren't we? How long would Andrew Jackson have put up with such conduct as that on the part of England or of any other government? In his day we were a feeble folk compared with what we are now, but if England had dared do such a scurvy trick when he was in the White House she would have gone down on her marrowbones in apology, or in ten days an American army would have been marching on Quebec and Montreal. It is said, how truly I do not know, that the state department claims that the English did not break the seal—that the sun melted them! I suppose the sun also stamped "V. R." (which letters mean Victoria Regina) on the seals.

An Understanding With England.

That an understanding between McKinley's administration and England does exist cannot be longer doubted. Here are a few words, pertinent and patriotic, from Washington's farewell address on that very point:

Against the insidious wiles of foreign influence I conjure you to believe me, fellow citizens, the jealousy of a free people ought to be constantly awake, since history and experience prove that foreign influence is one of the most painful foes to republican government. But that jealousy, to be useful, must be impartial, else it becomes the instrument of the very influence to be avoided instead of defense against it. Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and excessive dislike of another cause those whom they actuate to see danger only on one side and serve to veil and even second the arts of influence on the other. Real patriots, who may resist the intrigues of the favorite, are liable to become suspected and odious, while the tools and dupes usurp the applause and confidence of the people to surrender their interests.

The great rule of conduct for us in regard to foreign nations is in extending our commercial relations; to have with them as little political connections as possible. So far as we have already formed engagements let them be fulfilled with perfect good faith. Here let us stop.

Europe has a set of primary interests which to us have none, or a very remote, relation; hence she must be engaged in frequent controversies, the causes of which are essentially foreign to our concern; hence, therefore, it must be unwise in us to implicate ourselves by artificial ties in the ordinary vicissitudes of her politics or the ordinary combinations and collisions of her friendships or enmities.

Our detached and distant situation invites and enables us to pursue a different course. If we remain one people, under an efficient government, the period is not far off when we may defy material injury from external annoyance; when we may take such an attitude as will cause the neutrality we may at any time resolve upon to be scrupulously respected; when belligerent nations, under the impossibility of making acquisitions upon us, will not lightly hazard the giving us provocation; when we may choose peace or war as our interests, guided by justice, shall counsel.

Why forego the advantages of so peculiar a situation? Why quit our own to stand upon foreign ground? Why, by interweaving our destiny with that of any other part of Europe, entangle our peace and prosperity in the toils of European ambition, rivalship, interest, humor or pathos?

'Tis our true policy to steer clear of permanent alliances with any portion of the foreign world—so far, I mean, as we are now at liberty to do it—for let me not be understood as capable of patronizing infidelity to existing engagements. (I hold the maxim no less applicable to public than to private affairs that honesty is always the best policy.) I repeat it, therefore, that those engagements be observed in a genuine sense. But, in my opinion, it is unnecessary and would be unwise to extend them.

Taking care always to keep ourselves by suitable establishments on a respectably defensive posture, we may safely trust to temporary alliances for extraordinary emergencies.

As in the heat of a campaign it is frequently difficult to find a thing wanted very much, I advise readers of these letters to cut out those words of Washington and paste them in their hats in order to have them handy.

The Democratic national convention goes to imperial Missouri, where it properly belongs, for be it remembered that Missouri is the most puissant and populous state which at all times and under all circumstances gives her electoral vote to the Democratic presidential candidate.

Kansas City, the young giantess of the Kaw, will in July have a most distinguished gathering of strangers within her gates, and she will entertain them in royal style. Kansas City is the ideal place for a Democratic national convention. Holding it there makes sure the 11 electoral votes of Kansas and will do good in many other ways.

Champ Clark

The Influence of Flowers.

The Illinois house of correction is about to try an interesting experiment in the reformation of women criminals. Superintendent Sloan has built three large greenhouses, covering a space of 4,000 square feet, in which it is intended to grow roses, carnations and chrysanthemums for the Chicago market. The women prisoners will work in the greenhouses under the direction of an expert horticulturist, and it is expected that contact with the growing plants will have a softening and regenerating effect on the hardened natures of the unhappy inmates of the institution.

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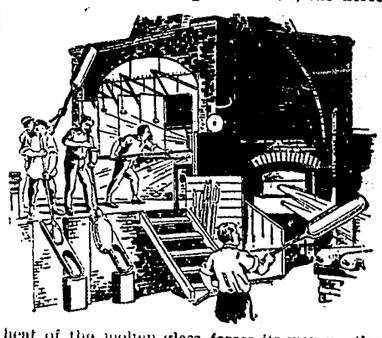

heat of the molten glass forces its way up the tube into the lungs where it gradually breaks down their delicate structure, making every cold a danger to life. You can't afford to quit working and are daily exposed to this fatal dust and intense heat. What you and your friends need is Acker's English Remedy. This will make your throat and lungs strong again. It will heal the irritation, brace up your strength, and you need never lose a day's work. I have noticed that in some mills there are no cases of Consumption. The reason is that Acker's English Remedy is used by the men working there.

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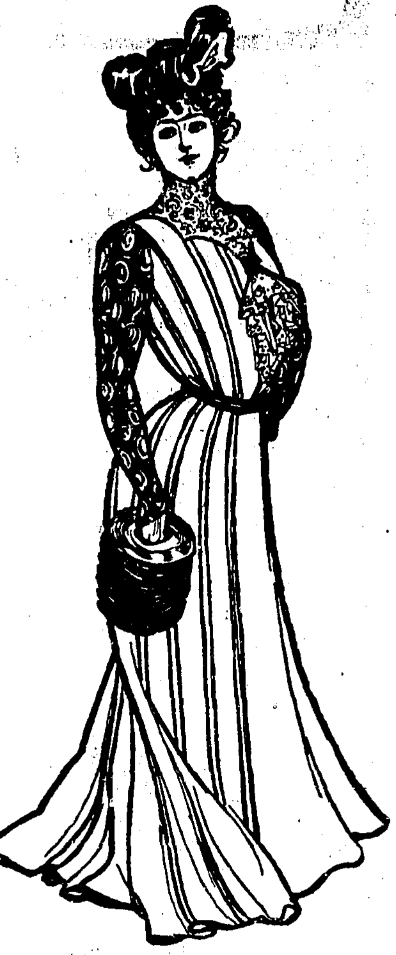
WOMAN AND FASHION.

A Smart Plaited Gown—A Costume of Drab Cloth—Latest Fad In Collars.

The sketch shows a very smart gown enriched with the new plaits. The skirt is very long and straight, with the middle of the front plain and the sides enriched with spaced plaits ex-



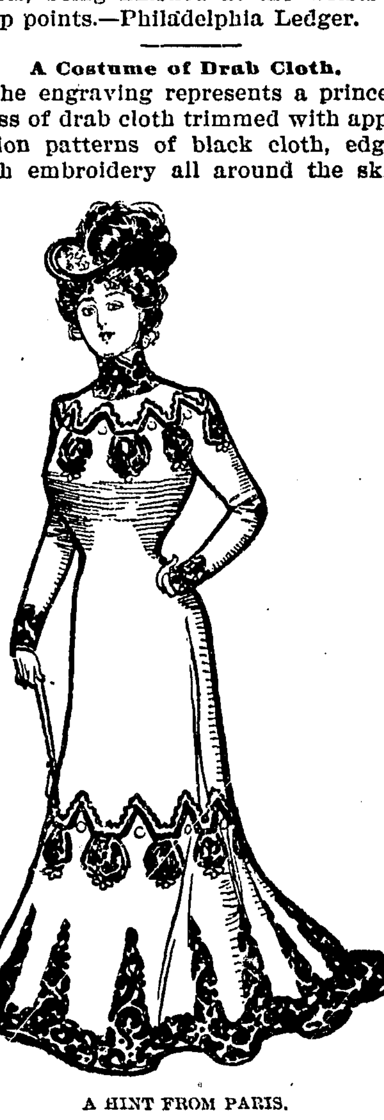
A PLAITED GOWN.

tending from the waist to the knees, where they escape in a graceful fullness, while the back is box plaited.

The bodice is also plaited and is fancifully cut out at the neck to reveal a yoke of white satin covered with white lace, which has the appearance of developing into a cravatlike end fastened with a knot of bright orange velvet. The collar band is of the lace covered satin, rising in high points at the back, and the narrow belt is of the cloth. The sleeves fit the arms closely and are encircled throughout with fine plaits, being finished at the wrists in deep points.—Philadelphia Ledger.

A Costume of Drab Cloth.

The engraving represents a princess dress of drab cloth trimmed with application patterns of black cloth, edged with embroidery all around the skirt



A HINT FROM PARIS.

at the bottom. The corsage is trimmed with buttoned tabs and bands of black astrakhan. The costume would look equally well trimmed with drab cloth and astrakhan to match.—Paris Herald.

Latest Fad In Collars.

The dressing of a woman's neck has assumed more importance lately than almost any other article of her attire, and the smart modiste pays more attention to the cut, fit and style of the collar than ever before in the annals of dressmaking.

It is not merely necessary to have a soft, straight collar around a woman's neck nowadays. She must stand and be fitted to a pointed, turreted, overlapping chin supporting affair, which is just as much an object of care and attention on the part of the modiste as any other portion of the bodice.

The new collar is a very complicated confection anyway, and its varieties of form, cut and style are numberless. The main point, which should never be lost sight of, is that it must be very high in the back, while in front it is low enough to be a comfortable rest for the chin.

Some of the new collars have two tall points rising just under the ears, the others come up in one high point at the middle of the back of the neck. Here again a pretty full box plait of lace falls over the military plain... in the back, while a narrow ruche of the same lace is turned over the collar in front.

There is little stiffness in the new collar, whalebones in the back and side points keeping it rigid where it should be rigid, while the front is softer than it has been for some time.—New York Herald.

About 80 per cent of the fishing nets in Hokkaido, Japan, are made of cotton thread. Cotton nets were first introduced from Scotland in 1888.

THE HOUSEHOLD.

New Ideas In Table Decoration. A Pretty Photograph Frame. An Original Dish.

Original ideas in table decoration and new ways of serving things come up constantly in this progressive era of clever women. Two brand new and unique ideas in table decoration were recently evolved by a bright girl who makes a fad of getting up novelties of this sort. What to Eat tells of her new way of serving wine jelly.

When brought to the table, the dish resembled a choppy sea, and in the hollow of the waves a dozen or more tiny fish disported themselves.

This is how she did it: She made a dough like that used for cookies or other simpler forms of cake. Out of this, partly with a small cake cutter, partly with her hands, she shaped the fish. Cloves made very effective, staring, fishy eyes. The fish were then baked to a delicate brown and the jelly well manipulated with a fork to produce the waves. Arranging the fish among the waves was an easy matter. The whole affair took less than 20 minutes, but the children of the family considered it a dish to set before a king, and even "grown ups" enjoyed the surprise.

Her second success required a little longer to accomplish, but it did not add a cent to the cost of the served terrapin.

First she got a handful of English walnuts. These she split in half—not with a nutcracker, but with a penknife, keeping each half shell perfect. The nuts were picked out and laid aside for use in cakes or bonbons.

Each half shell was then painted green, a dark, dull green, to represent the back of a "br'er terrapin." Head, legs and tail were cut from paper tinted to the proper shade and attached to the painted walnut shells.

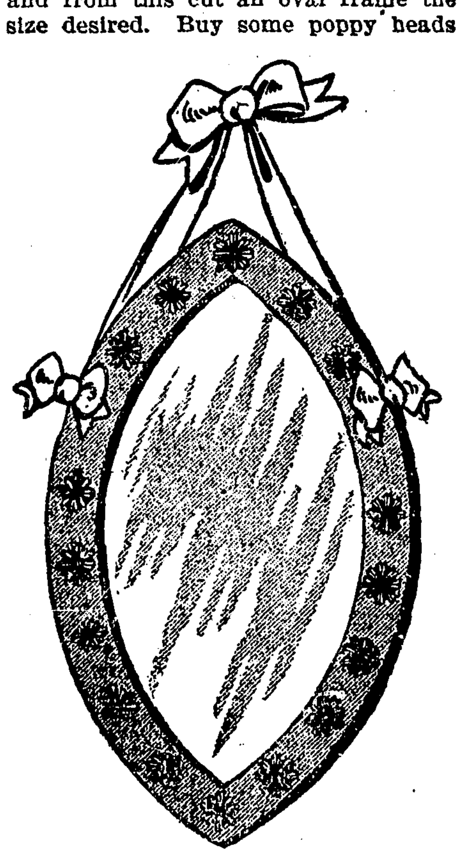
Behold in a few moments a dozen little crawling terrapins!

The next thing requisite was a quantity of perfectly clean white tissue paper. This was procured in a new hatbox and slashed with scissors into long, narrow shreds. Crushed in the hands these paper shreds made excellent "sea foam."

When the terrapin had been poured out, smoking hot, for serving, this "sea foam" was massed in handfuls along the edge of its shallow dish. Upon the foam were arranged, of course, the 12 green little turtles. The effect was enchanting.

A Pretty Photograph Frame.

Procure a sheet of stout cardboard, and from this cut an oval frame the size desired. Buy some poppy heads



TRIMMED WITH POPPY HEADS.

from the chemists. With a sharp, strong knife cut off cleanly the grooved circular disks at the end of the poppy heads. Gum these neatly with strong gum or fish glue on the oval frame, outer and grooved side uppermost. When dry and securely fixed, paint these disks with gold or silver metallic paint and also paint any surface of the cardboard left visible between with the same tint or a contrasting enamel.

The photograph may be fixed to the back of the frame in several ways, according to its value in the owner's estimation. It may be placed behind a piece of glass and secured by gluing on a piece of cardboard at the back of the frame to hold all together, or it may be lightly pasted to the back of the frame, which can then be hung up by rings or ribbons.

Solus Cum Sola.

Says an Irishman, "It's a great comfort to be alone, especially when your sweetheart is with you."—Chicago News.

SHORT NEWS STORIES.

A Tea In Saint Gaudens' Studio. A Musical Detective—General Harrison's "Authority."

There was a reception in Saint Gaudens' studio. For a year he had been at work on the equestrian statue of General William Tecumseh Sherman to stand at the head of the mall in Central park, New York. And at last the statue was finished, and Mr. Saint Gaudens asked his friends to come and see it—and him. There were people with titles and people without titles, there was tea with slices of lemon floating in it and another kind of tea with cream, and there was almost every one in the "American colony of Paris," from Miss Van Dusen Reed to Mrs. Drexel, says the Philadelphia Saturday Evening Post.

As Saint Gaudens and I stood talking an old man—alert in spite of gray hair, gray eyebrows and sunken face—came up.

"Yes," he said, "that's he"—

He turned to a youngish man with typical American mustache and an unusually long frock coat who stood at his elbow and said:

"Yes, the way he holds his head—his hand, there—that's he"—

Somehow or other every one drew back. I did not know why. It was not until I was drinking my cup of tea (with the absurd lemon in it) that Saint Gaudens told me the old man was General Sherman's brother, Major Hoyt Sherman, and that the young man in the long frock coat was General Sherman's nephew, Frank C. Sherman. I wish I had known. I knew General Sherman in a way. I saw him three days before he died. It would have been something to meet kith and kin of his here in Paris.

A Musical Detective.

Detective Sergeant Webb has the most exquisite voice in the New York police department. Years ago he was

"I WISH YOU WOULD SING SOMETHING."

a patrolman in the Eldridge street precinct, but was promoted to the detective office for clever work.

When McClusky was restored to the command of the detective bureau, he promptly assigned Webb to desk duty in the office.

"What's the matter, boss?" asked Webb of McClusky one day as the latter sat at his desk in deep meditation.

"I'm worried about a big diamond robbery," said McClusky, "and my head is in a whirl. How do you feel yourself?"

"First rate, boss," smiled Webb.

"I wish you would sing something," remarked McClusky. "You always succeed in lifting a big load off my mind."

Webb sang for the chief.

Once a theatrical manager offered him $5,000 a year to go on the stage, but he declined. He is the son of Police Captain Webb, who was recently retired after a long and honorable career.—New York World.

General Harrison's "Authority."

At the little hamlet of Richland, near Rushville, lives the Rev. Nathan McDill, an interesting old Presbyterian minister, who was pastor of the U. P. church there for 40 years. He loves to tell jokes of his college days and is fond of relating the following, which happened when General Harrison and he were at Miami:

The occasion was a joint meeting of the literary societies of Miami and a female seminary near by. Harrison read an essay in which he mischievously used the expression, "We pitch in." At the close of the programme the president of the college arose. After making several remarks he offered a few good natured criticisms, among which was one directed to Harrison. "It is customary," said he, with a sidelong glance at the youth, "when using any classic quotation to give our authority for the same." Harrison as quick as a flash arose, pointed to his roommate, McNutt, a white headed, boyish looking fellow, near by, and with all seriousness said, "There's my authority!"

The narrator of this does not tell us what then happened, but we may imagine that the president of Miami, being unable to say more, took his seat and waited for the laughter to subside.—Indianapolis Press.

The New Style In Fiction.

Because prolixity and overelaborated phrasing were the snares of bygone writers that is no reason why we should cut up our sentences into four or five words. Nothing is easier. The method is simple. It presents no difficulties. It is distinct. It appeals to many. It is new. Therefore it pleases for a time, but not permanently. Men of intelligence yawn. The trick is too readily seen through. It is like an infant's reader: "My cat is called Tom. Do you like cats? No, I like dogs. I like both cats and dogs," etc.—National Review.

Some of the picturesque features of the cataract at Niagara Falls are slowly disappearing. Recently a large mass of rock close to the Horseshoe fall gave way. Table rock and Goat island are said to be disintegrating.

The Mexico City lighting service comprises 481 electric street lights of 2,000 candle power, 366 of 1,200 candle power and about 150 incandescent lights of 16 and 50 candle power. The cost of the service per month is about $24,000.

It has been decided that some change must be made by our army in its smokeless powder. Numerous tests have well illustrated the fact that the powder now used is extremely dangerous, being made nearly entirely of nitroglycerin.

One of the oddest quarterly publications in New York is "The Baldheaded Eagle of America—By a Business Man—Office on a Trolley Car." It is devoted to the extinction of Turkey in Europe and to prophecies about the end of the world.

One of the greatest bicycle stables in the country is located inside of the walls of the treasury department in Washington. It is under the roof of a large shed built in the north court of the treasury building and has a floor area of about 10,000 square feet.

In Upper Silesia, in Germany, electric alarms are introduced into the mines to warn of danger. There is not only a bell to sound an alarm, but an indicator, so that in case there should be any noise going on to drown the sound the watchman can see the indicator.

STOP WOMEN

from exercising common sense? You can't do it. As the old rhyme runs:

"The man's a fool who tries by force or skill
To turn the current of a woman's will
For if she will, she will, you may depend on't
And if she won't she won't, so there's an end on't."

Common sense tells a woman that when she's sick she needs a doctor.

Common sense tells a woman that in disease the first question is not of man or woman, but of recognized medical ability.

Common sense applied to advertisements which invite women to "write to a woman because she is a woman and understands women," will show the women so appealed to, that it's no use to write to any woman about disease unless that woman is a physician.

Common sense used in the reading of advertisements will discover that no claim is made in them to a physician's knowledge or diploma. And that is not because the claim would be morally culpable as a lie, but because it would be legally punishable as a fraud. The law permits you to masquerade as a doctor in an advertisement, just so long as you don't actually claim to be a doctor, or put M. D. after your name. That's why the advertisement is worded "write to a woman" instead of write to a doctor.

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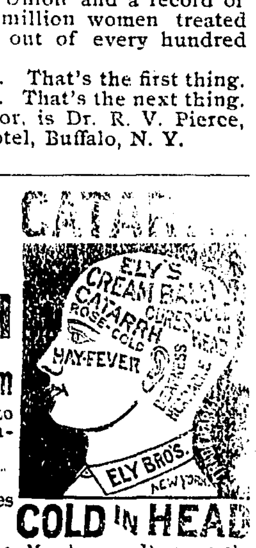

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Jackson Temple........Associate Justice
Waller Van Dyke........Associate Justice
T. B. McFarland........Associate Justice
Ralph C. Harrison........Associate Justice
C. H. Garoutte........Associate Justice
Geo. W. Root........Clerk Supreme Court
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Hale McCowen........Clerk
J. H. Smith........Sheriff
J. N. Rae........Treasurer
M. A. Thomas........Assessor
P. Connolly........Recorder
J. F. Barbee........Superintendent Schools
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W. K. Dillingham........Tax Collector
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Sam Duncan........1st Dist
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Jno Flanagan........4th Dist
A. M. Duncan........5th Dist

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J. P. Cunningham........
R. L. Crane........
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Warren Demeritt........Marshal

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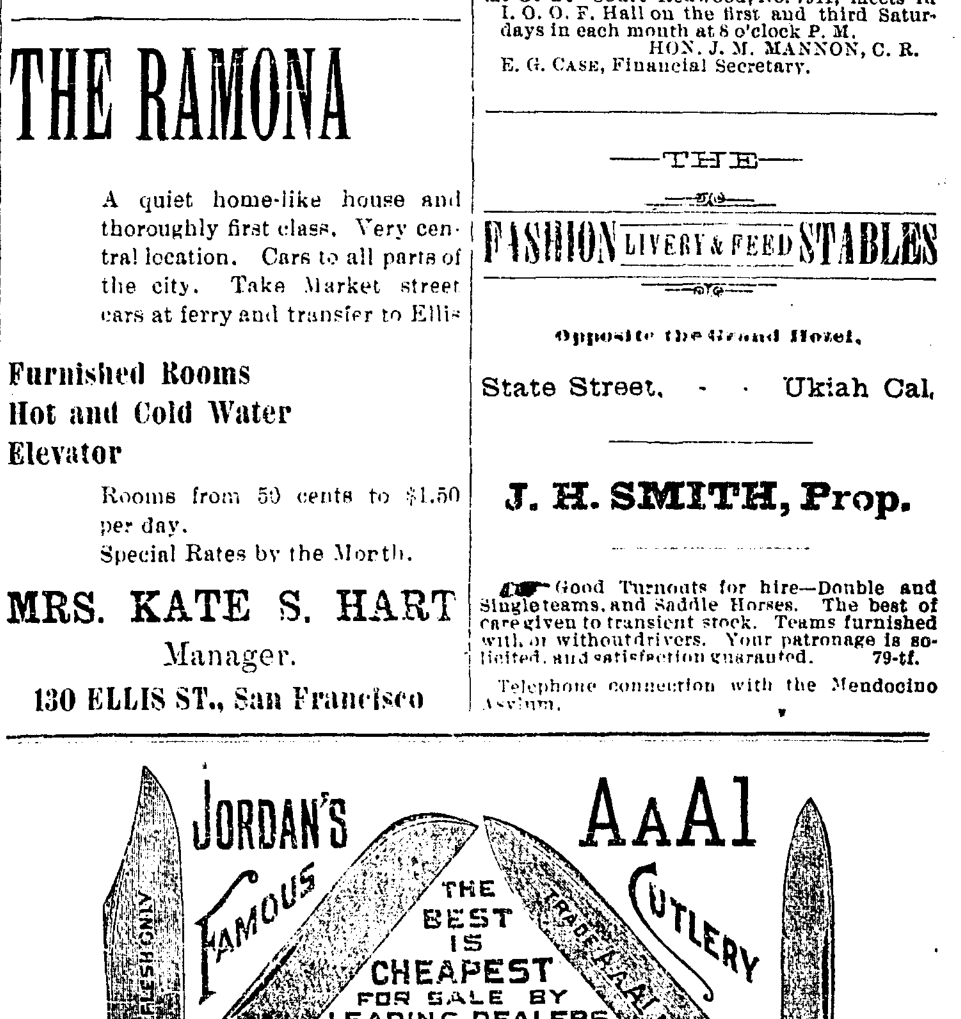

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The latest reports from Great Britain are to the effect that Emperor McKinley is running strong there. That's more than he will do in this country.

An exchange refers to McKinley as "the Napoleon of American politics." He is, and the Democrats are preparing a political St. Helena for his occupancy early next year.

In 1776 the American people had a band of Tories to contend with during the entire war. True Americans to-day have the same class of Tories to deal with—the Hay-Hanna-English combine.

The business failures of last week in the United States numbered 222, as against 188 for same time last year. We do not mention this with any sinister purpose but simply to call attention to a striking example of our increasing prosperity.

Emperor William the Trust arises to say there is no secret alliance between this country and Great Britain. No, there is no secret about it now; it is a generally understood proposition and we have surrendered every American right the fathers of the nation held dear.

Senator Perkins is always on the fence whenever on important measure comes up in Congress. In order to accommodate vacillating George, the Governor should call an extra session of the legislature and keep it in session till Congress adjourns, so that it could "instruct" him how to vote on the various questions. Perkins hasn't the strength and ability to be a leader, like Stephen M. White, and therefore has to have "instructions."

In a speech before the Ohio Society of New York last Saturday night, Emperor McKinley said, "There can be no imperialism in this country," thereby indicating that he was opposed to imperialism. The people have lost faith in the blundering Mac. In a message to Congress only a short time ago he said in referring to Porto Rico: "Our plain duty is to give Porto Rico free trade relations with this country." The trusts got hold of the President then and forced him to go back on his message. The trusts and imperial bond holders will force him to go back on his utterances of last Saturday night regarding imperialism, too. Little Mac. has no head of his own or, if he has, the trusts wont allow him to use it. He is getting to be as renowned a flopper as some of our local Hannaites.

During all the years that the taxing power of the government has been turned over to the beneficiaries of the tariff they have been promising the consumers low prices. First they promised to be satisfied with a protective tariff that would sustain their infancy, but they have demanded riches for their middle age, and now some of them are insisting on sustenance in the form of direct alms in their decrepitude. Then they promised the farmer a home market, but the farmer's crops increased at a greater rate than the population; as years went on he had a larger and larger surplus, which he was forced to sell in London, the price of all his crops being fixed in the open markets of the world; year by year his taxes increased, and there never has been a moment when the promise of a home market for all our crops has seemed likely to be realized. Wheat is selling in Yolo county at considerably less than a cent a pound and for less than the cost of production. In the face of these conditions it is not an easy matter to convince farmers that they are prosperous.—Woodland Democrat.

PROPHECY FULFILLED.

Speaking of the passing of great men, "The Assayer," published at Washington, D. C., said, under date of February 1st, 1899:

"Senator White, of California, also goes. He is the pugnacious cyclone of the Pacific coast, and one of the most puissant debaters living. Whenever Senator White starts out on any line of thot or argument, it immediately becomes evident to those around him that they are in the neighborhood of real ideas. California will not send a successor to him who will be able to wear his intellectual clothes."

How literally has this prophecy been fulfilled. In place of the giant intellect of White, we have the little, money getting, close fisted, noncommittal, wait 'till you're steered Bard. He will be coached by Perkins who always believes and speaks one way and votes the other.

THE DEMOCRATIC NOMINEES.

The democrats of this city have nominated an excellent ticket for the municipal election. Every man on the ticket is worthy of the support of every taxpayer in the town regardless of party.

For trustees there could not have been a better selection of men than Dr. Gibson and Messrs. Orr and Cleveland. By electing these men the town will be equally represented geographically. J. R. Moore, the present incumbent lives in the heart of the city and J. P. Cunningham, the other hold over, lives in the southwestern part of town. The candidates for election—Gibson, Orr, Cleveland—thoroly cover the remaining territory as equally as it could possibly be arranged. Each section of the town will be thoroly represented on the board. But beyond all this, these men all have the welfare of the town at heart and are eminently qualified to give the city an excellent administration and they will, too.

For City Marshal, the democrats have nominated W. F. Ornbaun, who has shown his ability as peace officer as Game Warden of the county. He has the ability and courage to perform his duty regardless of consequences.

For Clerk and Treasurer James H. Carothers and F. H. Vaughan are the respective candidates. They have performed their duties acceptably in the past and will continue to give the city good service.

Vote for them all and the city will have an excellent corps of officials.

MISTAKES WILL DEFEAT HIM.

The continued blunders and mistakes that Emperor McKinley is making will defeat him in November. Life is too short to give a full list of the mistakes and willful offenses of the McKinley administration.

McKinley's first great offense was placing himself and his campaign for the presidency in the hands of a syndicate of monopolies and trusts whose agent, barrelholder and dispenser of the great campaign boodle fund was Mark Hanna of Cleveland, Ohio. His second great mistake was in using the influence of the administration to promote the election of Hanna to the Senate of the United States; Mr. Hanna had proven himself a most successful getter of money, but neither before nor since has he displayed any of the high qualities of statesmanship which alone fit a man for the great and powerful station of a Senator of the United States.

From first to last McKinley has been wrong in the affairs leading up to and growing out of the Spanish war. If the Republicans in Congress, acting in accord with the President, had not opposed and thwarted the Democratic plan of recognizing the independence of the Cubans, it might have been attained without our going to war. And if President McKinley had not in January, 1898, sent the Maine to Havana against the advice of Fitzhugh Lee, then Consul General of the United States at Havana, the lives of 265 brave American sailors would not have been sacrificed and the real cause of the war would not have come to pass. After that dastardly act of Spanish treachery and revenge there was nothing left for the administration to do but prosecute the war vigorously to drive Spain out of Cuba and Cuban waters as authorized and directed by the Congress. But as an incident of that war he was not authorized by Congress nor people to take permanent possession of and responsibility for the low, mongrel peoples of the Philippines, the fruitless and profitless war upon whom has already cost thousands of good American lives and hundreds of millions of good American money, to say nothing of lavish expeuditures of the same sort that will be necessary in the future. The clause in the Treaty of Paris by which the McKinley administration stipulates that the United States should take the Philippines and pay Spain $20,000,000 therefor was one of the greatest and most costly of all the mistakes of McKinley. His secret alliance with Great Britain and his treaty with that Power abandoning the Monroe Doctrine and surrendering our right to control the Nicaragua Canal without the consent or advice of any other nation on earth are mistakes hardly less fatal than his false moves in the matter of the Philippines. The supreme mistake of the McKinley outfit is in supposing for a moment that the American people are going to allow their government to be run for the sole benefit and profit of the Hanna-McKinley syndicate.

TORYISM THE LAST STRAW.

Senator Jones of Arkansas, Chairman of the Democratic National Committee, has good grounds for his expressed belief that the McKinley administration has of late taken a course which tends to the advantage of the Democratic organization.

The present position of the President and his party is one that cannot be indorsed by the American people. It is contrary to the soundest American principles. It repudiates the Declaration of Independence. It abandons the Monroe Doctrine. It consents to the invalidation of the American Constitution. It denies the truth of the American policies formulated by Washington, by Jefferson, by Monroe, by Lincoln.

The people must, in their loyalty to the best Americanism, condemn the President's imperialistic policy of colonial government by force in the Philippines. They must condemn the attempt to overrule the Constitution by imposing a tariff tax on Puerto Rican trade with other parts of the United States. They must condemn the tacit alliance with Great Britain which made possible the Hay-Pauncefote treaty for the construction of the Nicaraguan Canal. They must condemn the servile spirit which permits England to open and read the official mail of American Consuls, and to censor official consular cablegrams to the State Department.

The President, his Secretary of State and his Cabinet are committed to this un-American record. The people must look to the national Democratic organization for the continued assertion of the true American spirit, proudly resentful of the recent administration surrender of this spirit; they will not be likely to support an administration so thoroly dominated by foreign influence. They will insist upon a return to American democracy—still vital in the unshakable faith of the Democratic party now opposing imperialism, trustism, colonialism and toryism.—St. Louis Republic.

All voters who have become of age since the last general election should register before the municipal election of April 9th, if they desire to vote at said election. All voters that were on the old register do not have to re-register in order to vote in the coming municipal election, as the old register holds until the new registration is completed.

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THE AFTERMATH.

Hannaites Still Sore and Making Dire Threats of Revenge.

When lasts week's DISPATCH came out with the news of the severe harpooning that Narrow T. Gage had given the "Press Gang" of Hanna toe-suckers, a great commotion was stirred up among the "faithful" that helped squander Grant's "dough". To be defeated by that "awful Duncan push", as they term it, was bad enough, but to have their grievances brot to public view was almost more than they could stand. A council of War was called and the advisability of attacking the DISPATCH was discussed freely. At the end of the discussion only two of the largest men seemed willing to make the attack, but Abe Marks came along just at this juncture and told them that they were not the only Kopjes on the Veldt and that if they got "downed in the melee by a jolt in the solar plexus they might teter themselves to death, "so", says Abe, "I advise you, as a disinterested party to declare the bout off, and instead, sick the 'Carbuncle' on the DISPATCH next week. If you get into a scrap with the bald headed Chief, you might lose part of your men and thus make it easy for us to do you again at our next annual scrap." With this parting shot Abe went grinning down the street and the "Press Gang" changed tactics and began to scheme against the Duncan push.

Their latest scheme is to control the delegates to the next state convention which will probably take place in May. They figure that they can do this if the county committee is allowed to select the delegates, as they control the committee. But the Duncan push may have a card up their sleeve for this contest so the gang is proceeding cautiously. And so the merry war goes on.

Templeton and Hochheimer have filed their oaths of office and now hold the whip hand, and this is no dream either.

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident of which Mr. John Oliver of Philadelphia, was the subject, is narrated by him as follows: "I was in a most dreadful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in back and sides, no appetite—gradually growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Fortunately, a friend advised trying 'Electric Bitters,' and to my great joy and surprise, the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they saved my life, and robbed the grave of another victim," No one should fail to try them. Only 50 cents per bottle at J. R. Mathews' Drug Store.

Editor's Awful Plight.

F. M. Higgins, Editor Seneca (Ill.) News, was afflicted for years with piles that no doctor or remedy helped until he tried Bucklen's Arnica Salve. He writes two boxes wholly cured him. It's the surest pile cure on earth and the best salve in the world. Cure guaranteed. Only 25 cents. Sold by J. R. Mathews, City Pharmacy.

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PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

Lieutenant General J. D. P. French, who commands the Fourth cavalry division of the British army in South Africa, has played an active part in the war and has probably had greater success than any other of the British commanders in engagements with the Boers. He it was who had command

LIEUTENANT GENERAL FRENCH.

of the victorious troops at Elandslaagte. He was with General White at Ladysmith, but got away from the threatened town on the last train leaving before the Boers established their siege. General French on arrival at Durban was given command of the Fourth division. For a time reports of his movements were meager, and his exact whereabouts were not always known. Altogether unexpectedly the word goes out, "French has arrived at Kimberley!" and British hopes revive, while a redoubtable commander adds another achievement to his record.

Bryan Holds the Record.

Some gentlemen were discussing at a well known hotel the question of what orator of ancient or modern times had first and last spoken to the greatest number of human beings. A great many names were suggested, but finally it was agreed that more people had listened to the sound of William J. Bryan's voice than to any other man who ever talked to the public.

"I do not think," said Mr. P. L. Irvine of New York, "that there is any doubt of Bryan's primacy in this regard. We know that famous speakers among the ancients, orators of the class of Cicero and Demosthenes, talked to vast crowds, but we have only to reflect upon the paucity of transportation facilities in those days to realize that they addressed practically the same audiences all the time. Their gatherings were local.

"Mr. Bryan in 1896 and since has traversed every part of the United States and has spoken in the aggregate to millions of his countrymen. Major McKinley, it will be remembered, staid at home during during the campaign, and his speeches were limited to visiting delegations. Neither Beecher, Ingersoll nor Talmage, with their long years of platform oratory, could have addressed a total of hearers anything like as large as the numbers that crowded about the Nebraskan. Neither Webster, Clay nor Calhoun nor Lincoln nor Douglass, despite the length of their public careers, ever spoke to such multitudes. And the wonderful part of it is that the man will in all probability duplicate his past experience in this line before he retires to absolute privacy."—Washington Post.

Lansdowne's Policy Attacked.

The Marquis of Lansdowne, England's secretary of state for war, is having a lively time during the present session of parliament. His policy relating to the South African war has been fiercely attacked. The attack is led by the Liberals, and they boldly

THE MARQUIS OF LANSDOWNE.

charge the war secretary with incompetency, in that he was ignorant of the conditions the nation had to meet both at home and in the Transvaal. On the other hand Lord Lansdowne's supporters, while admitting the shortcomings of the military administration, assert that the fault lies more with the military head than the civil head of the army. Field Marshal Viscount Wolseley, commander in chief of the army, resents this charge, and there is a feud of formidable proportions between the two high war officials and their respective supporters.

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R. E. RADER hereby announces himself for Supervisor of District No. 2, subject to the Democratic County Convention.

H. E. LINDER hereby announces himself as an Independent candidate for City Clerk; election April 9, 1900.

WARREN DEMERRITT announces himself as a Republican (independent) candidate for re-election for City Marshal of the town of Ukiah City at the coming municipal election.

F. H. VAUGHAN hereby announces himself as a candidate for re-election to the office of Treasurer of the town of Ukiah City, subject to nomination by the Democratic Convention.

C. P. SMITH (present incumbent) hereby announces himself as a candidate for Supervisor of the 2nd District, subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

T. J. FINE, of Ukiah Valley, hereby announces himself a candidate for Supervisor for District Number 2, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

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MISCELLANEOUS NEWS ITEMS

Condensed News From Here, There and Everywhere.

A Melange of Occurrences of More or Less Interest to Our Readers.

A. J. Caelho has sued the Mendocino Discount Bank for a deposit of $599, and has attached the Parson ranch. McGarvey & Bledsoe are attorneys for Caelho.

Mrs. G. A. Root and Miss Jessie Crockett came up from San Francisco to visit their father, D. C. Crockett. After spending some time here Mrs. Root returned to her home in San Francisco. Mr. Crockett is steadily improving from the accident which happened to him about four months ago, and is now able to be around on crutches.

LOST—A pompadour comb set with shinestones. Finder please return to Miss Mabel Smith. m9

Henry Marks has been on the sick list for the past week.

Mart Baechtel came down from his ranch at Willits Tuesday on a short business trip.

The new Philippine Commission recently appointed by the President is composed of Wm. R. Taft, of Ohio, Dean C. Worcester, of Michigan, Henry C. Ide, of Vermont, Luke E. Wright, of Tennessee, and Benard Moses of the University of California. The entire Pacific coast heartily endorse the appointment of Prof. Moses.

Dyspepsia can be cured by Using Acker's Dyspepsia Tablets. One little Table will give immediate relief or money refunded. Sold in handsome tin boxes at 25 cts. W. A Hoffman, Druggist.

W. W. Ware leaves this week for Fort Bragg where he has accepted a position with the Union Lumber Co. Success to you, Billy.

Charles Cavanaugh, a pioneer of Mendocino county, died last week at Mendocino City of bronchitis. He was one of our earliest pioneers and was 84 years old. He was the father of Charles J. Cavanaugh, editor of the Fort Bragg Advocate.

F. O. Knack and Miss Eva Barry were married in Mendocino last week.

A. D. Dean, of Bridgeport, has sold his ranch and intends leaving the coast.

Experience is the best Teacher. Use Acker's English Remedy in any case of coughs, colds or croup. Should it fail to give immediate relief money refunded. 25 cts. and 50 cts. W. A. Hoffman, Druggists.

Wesley Richard, of Yorkville, killed another large panther last week. Wess now holds the belt as being one of Mendocino's best hunters.

W. W. Porterfield has been confined to his house this week with a severe attack of rheumatism.

The receipts of lumber at San Francisco from Mendocino county for the month of February were 7,445,000 feet; railroad ties 7000.

Sick Headache absolutely and permanently cured by using Moki Tea. A pleasant herb drink. Cures constipation and indigestion, makes you eat, sleep, work and happy. Satisfaction guaranteed or money back. 25 cts. and 50 cts. W. A. Hoffman, Druggist.

Miss Geneva Lamb left for Westport this week to be on hand to open the De Haven school next Monday. Miss Lamb is one of our best teachers and will no doubt make a success at De Haven.

William H. Baechtel, one of Willits' most prominent young men, has been in town this week attending to business.

It is very hard to stand idly by and see our dear ones suffer while awaiting the arrival of the doctor. An Albany (N. Y.) dairyman called, at a drug store there for a doctor to come and see his child, then very sick with croup. Not finding the doctor in, he left word for him to come at once on his return. He also bought a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy, which he hoped would give some relief until the doctor should arrive. In a few hours he returned, saying the doctor need not come, as the child was much better. The druggist, Mr. Otto Scholz says the family has since recommended Chamberlain's Cough Remedy to their neighbors and friends until he has a constant demand for it from that part of the country. For sale by all dealers.

Dr. Pitts successfully removed two cancers from the cheek of Mrs. Susan Shoemake, of Manchester, last Tuesday. The lady is about 80 years of age and stood the ordeal remarkably well, being unable to take chloroform on account of her weak heart. We hope Mrs. Shoemake will soon forget her experience and live many years in peace and comfort.—Record.

From coast reports it seems that Supervisor Flanagan is getting his roads into excellent condition. John is a splendid road man and always attends to them at the proper time.

Jayne's almanacs and samples of Jayne's Expectorant given out at the City Pharmacy. f9-t3p.

Miss Harriet Maddnx, the local elocutionist, received a dispatch yesterday informing her that her father was seriously ill at his home. She will leave on to-day's train for Santa Rosa.

Kirtley & Sanford, Real Estate and Insurance Agents, will attend to paying taxes for non-residents. Information furnished. Office in DISPATCH Building, Ukiah, Cal. tf

Miss H. Scott, of Christine, has secured employment in this city.

Frank Duncan and Oliver Meyers were up from Hopland yesterday on business.

Jud McClellan, of Orr's, was shaking hands with friends in town yesterday.

H. B. Hickey, the Albion lumber merchant, arrived in town on business last night. He reports plenty of rain on the coast during the last storm.

The river was out of its banks Wednesday night on account of the rain storm.

Quite an article appeared in the Overland this month about Ukiah's musical prodigy, Valentine Miller. The article was well written and vividly describes little Valentine while playing his musical instruments.

Sweet Lavender.

The Ukiah Dramatic Stock Company scored another success on last Saturday evening at Mason's Opera House when it presented Sweet Lavender to a large and appreciative audience. The members, one and all, performed their parts in a most creditable manner. Mr. Philipp Joseph, as Bulger the hair dresser, and Mr. Bledsoe, as Horace Brown, were the new additions to the company and both won much praise for their clever handling of work entirely new to them, it being their first appearance in dramatic work. The company most assuredly earned the thanks of all interested in the charity fund, for not only did the members give their services but their wardrobes as well. The music, between acts, furnished by the Asylum Orchestra, aided largely in making the entertainment what it was—a big success.

L. L. Viers Nominated.

The Democrats of Santa Rosa have nominated L. L. Viers, formerly of Willits, for councilman. Mr. Viers is the right man for the right place and should he be elected he will make Santa Rosa a splendid councilman. Lutie has many friends here who wish him success.

The Rainfall.

The rainfall for Ukiah as kept by Dr. Geo. McCowen is as follows:

Last storm..... 3.91 inches
Total for season.....30.93 inches

A Thousand Tongues

Could not express the rapture of Annie E. Springer, of 1125 Howard St., Phhiadelphia, Pa., when she found that Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption had completely cured her of a hacking cough that for many years had made life a burden. All other remedies and doctors could give her no help, but she says of this Royal Cure—"it soon removed the pain in my chest and I can now sleep soundly, something I can scarcely remember doing before. I feel like sounding its praises throughout the Universe." So will every one who tries Dr. King's New Discovery for any trouble of the Throat, Chest or Lungs. Price 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles free at J. R. Mathews' City Pharmacy. Every bottle guaranteed.

H. J. Rogers notifies the public that he is prepared to dig graves at the Ukiah cemeteries, keep lots in order and do all work in that line. His charges for digging a grave is $5.00. 3-2t4

GUALALA NEWS.

GUALALA, March 5.

Time and tide rolls on here and still it rains.

The mill has got down to steady work at last and we expect to cut 50,000 feet per day now after our long rest. We had some trouble with the old off-set, but our worthy owner and superintendent put their noble heads to-gether and now they have a patent off-set that will astonish the world in its durability and simplicity. Good for Haywood & Son.

Mr. Shultz, Gualala's society star, says we shall have a social dance here every two weeks, so last Saturday night was one of the nights set for a dance, and we had it too in spite of the cold rain all day. If the people would turn out to church like they do to a dance we would have a religious little town here.

We hear Ed Wetherbee is to start a creamery here soon. He intends to purchase his dairy stock at Henry's ranch I believe.

The famous Point Arena male quartet is working here in the mill. They favored us with a collection of the latest songs last Sunday evening. You could see the boys of Bushey Opening standing around with their mouths open, wondering how so much music could come out of so few mouths. And the poor old gray haired men in the crowd had tears in their eyes thinking of their boyhood days when they sang the same songs. Of course McGinty took them in, but you know there are times when jay bird's music is sweet and this was one of the times.

Frank Weger passed thru here with his favorite smile last week.

Mr. Chris Hansen made a flying visit to Mendocino City last week.

Mr. Frank Standish, of Albion, passed thru last week. Of course he had to call at the telephone office and tell them he was coming home, you know.

Now, Mr. Editor, if any one should write over to find out the indentity of this letter, tell him it was

MCGINTY.

ALBION ITEMS.

ALBION, March 5.

A. Carlson, the Greenwood jeweler, is circulating among his many friends at this place and on the Ridge.

Burt Briggs, of Whitesboro, left Caspar last week.

Fred Ledger made a flying trip to Greenwood last week.

The boys here are going to start an athletic club.

A social dance was given in S. Lermond's new house Saturday night. At midnight a nice lunch was spread before the guests which was enjoyed by all.

Ralph Byrnes, of Mendocino, is visiting on the Ridge.

An employe of the Albion Lumber Co. had the misfortune to break one of his arms last week.

Orpha Briggs spent Saturday and Sunday with Elsie Rowe on the Ridge. TOM & JERRY.

We have saved many doctor bills since we began using Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in our home. We keep a bottle open all the time and whenever any of my family or myself begin to catch a cold we begin to use the Cough Remedy, and as a result we never have to send away for a doctor and incur a large doctor bill, for Chamberlain's Cough Remedy never fails to cure. It is certainy a medicine of great merit and worth.—D. S. MEARKLE, General Merchant and Farmer, Mattie, Bedford county, Pa. For sale by all dealers.

Here's Your Chance.

Business men should take notice that under the new law no more printed copies of the Great Register of the county will be issued. This office has on hand a few copies of the Register of 1898, the latest, which are offered for sale at $1.00 a copy. They will be found exceedingly useful in the hands of business men, merchants etc., as they contain the post office addresses and occupation, of nearly every voter in the county, they are invaluable in sending out circulars, business advertisements, etc. Mailed on receipt of price.

Kirtley & Sanford are now prepared to list lands and town property for sale or rent. Office in DISPATCH Building, Ukiah. tf

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FACTS IN A FEW LINES.

As much as £2,500,000,000 has been lent to other nations by the British.

Last year the income tax yielded Great Britain a revenue of £4,500,000.

Switzerland exports regularly to other countries 17 different kinds of cheese.

An electrically operated whipping device has been introduced into some of the penitentiaries in France.

The widening of the east end of the Strand, in London, so long debated, is to be proceeded with at once.

Nearly 2,800 residents of Minnesota shared in 1899 in the tree planting bounty, receiving $2.40 an acre.

Within five years Russia will have at least 1,000,000 freight cars in service, there being about 500,000 now in use.

The Dewey arch in New York is to be covered with a paint that will insure its preservation for a year at least.

The Canadian government has completed the great ship canal between lake Erie and Montreal at a cost of $70,000,000.

New York is to have a new army and navy clubhouse costing $150,000, convenient to Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth street.

The average age of the British soldier now at the front is nearly two years higher than that of the soldier who fought at Waterloo.

A crematory has been built at Rouen, and others are in course of construction at Havre and Marseilles. Last year 4,513 bodies were cremated in France.

The Russian government will offer at public auction the lease of six tracts of gold bearing land situated on the northwest coast of the sea of Okhotsk.

A steamer line between American and Turkish ports and an agricultural exposition and warehouse for American goods at Constantinople are about to be established.

In Paraguay cotton grows the whole year round, and from one planting two crops are produced. The plant after it has borne is cut down, and from its root grows another plant.

That there are more Indians in the United States now than there were the day the Pilgrims landed cannot be proved, but is generally believed and stoutly affirmed by statisticians.

Baku has the best harbor on the Caspian and is the outlet for the trade of central Asia. Its naphtha industry gives it wealth out of all proportion to its population, which is hardly 100,000.

The total amount of ore shipped out of Lake Superior last year would cover 85 acres to a depth of 80 feet. It would require 666,000 ore cars to load it and 22,000 trains to move it, 30 cars to a train.

Revival Services.

The revival services now in progress at the M. E. Church, South, are nightly growing in interest. Rev. M. Ramsey, of Selma, who is doing the preaching is a most impressive speaker and is heard with close attention.

Did you ever spoil a stamped envelope in attempting to write an address on it? Or have you lost stamps because they got sticky and adhered to each other? If so, you should know that stamped envelopes which are only spoiled by mistakes committed in subscribers will be redeemed by the Post Office Department at their stamp value. Postage stamps damaged by sticking together in warm weather, or from other causes, before using, may be returned to the department and their value repaid to the purchaser or exchanged for new stamps. All redeemed envelopes or stamps are sent by postmasters redeeming them to the department and records of them are kept.—Exchange.

A. R. De Fluent, editor of the Journal, Doylestown, Ohio, suffered for a number of years from rheumatism in his right shoulder and side. He says: "My right arm at times was entirely useless. I tried Chamberlain's Pain Balm, and was surprised to receive relief almost immediately. The Pain Balm has been a constant companion of mine ever since and it never fails." For sale by all dealers.

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It is surprising the number of people we meet in cities who would like to go to the country every year if they could only locate themselves agreeably. They do not care for a regular resort where it is *dress, dress.* The large majority have neither relatives nor personal friends in the country, and even if they did, feel that a visit of the whole family would be rather an imposition. These people are continually wishing to visit some farm, some little home in the country where they can be at ease, free from fashion's restraints, enjoy good country meals, roam at will and sleep in a nice, clean bed. During the last few years quite a number were guests at our farms and town homes in Marin, Sonoma, Lake and Mendocino Counties, and we may add, that in general, the financial results to our people were most gratifying.

As far as can be judged, the demand this year for such accommodations will be greater than in the past, and we would respectfully ask *all those who desire to receive Summer Boarders* to advise us, so we can put their names on our list. Even if a party can accommodate but two, three or four persons, let us know as some like to be where there are no other boarders.

We have prepared a blank to be filled up, calling for the information necessary in our advertising. This can be procured from our agents or from us direct. Please send in early, as our advertising matter must necessarily be ready by April 1st.

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A Well Known Cleric.

The Rev. H. R. Haweis, a well known cleric, is one of the greatest travelers of the century. He has preached and lectured in every part of the world, including New Zealand, where he delivered a sermon to the Maoris at their special request. He has made friends with all the notable persons of his time, including Garibaldi and Gordon.

British soldiers on leave of absence are obliged to pay full fare when traveling by rail unless the leave is beyond six days, when the rate is a single fare for the round trip.

Gorgonzola cheese is Italian and is made from goats' milk. It comes from near Milan and needs to ripen two or three years. There are a few varieties of cheese which keep many years. A Parmesan cheese has been kept 150 years and found to be good when eaten.

Ordinary bicycles can be changed into tandems by an Illinois man's invention, comprising an auxiliary frame, with a spindle for insertion in place of the front fork, the latter being placed in the front place of the auxiliary frame, and the second seat post is inserted in the first head.

The latest available statistics of the operation of the postal savings system in France was 1895, when 2,500,000 accounts were handled, and 3 per cent was paid on $143,000,000, besides leaving a profit of $170,000. The management cost 0.45 per cent of the mean amount of deposit.

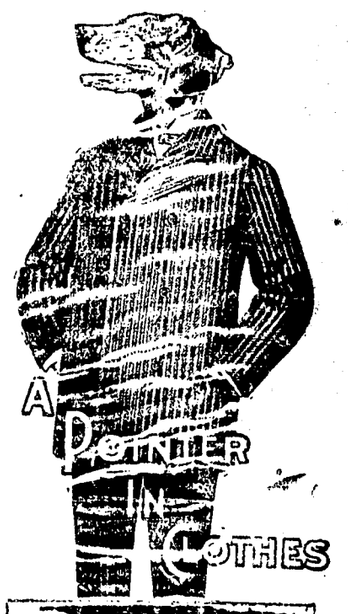
An elephant in the Paris zoo had the toothache so much that he became melancholy, and a surgeon found one of his teeth so far gone it had to be either filled or pulled. It was decided to fill it. No anæsthetic was given the big animal, which seemed to understand the surgeon was working for its good, and it patiently stood the hammering and filing.

The London Lancet says it is doubtful whether any nicotine ever reaches the mouth of the smoker except that present in the moistened tobacco which is in contact with the lips. The smoke products of tobacco do not contain any important quantity of nicotine, the chief toxic bodies before related to that interesting series of organic bases known to chemists as pyridines.

Queensland is being gradually converted into a large orchard. The Australian orange in particular has a great future, as it ripens at a time when Spain, Italy and California cannot provide the fruit.

A Washington man has brought suit for divorce from his wife because she sleeps with a razor under her pillow. She will offer no explanation for this eccentric habit and refuses to give one when asked.

The national dish of Bolivia and the common food of the masses is "chupe," a sort of first cousin to the Irish stew. It is a conglomerate composed of irregular constituents from the animal and vegetable kingdoms.



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THE HOUSEHOLD.

Fine Way to Cook a Leg of Mutton. Idea For an Overmantel—Salt an Antiseptic.

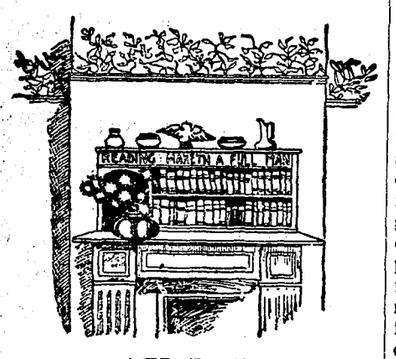
Here is a fine recipe for leg of mutton a la venison. Select a small leg of mutton and wipe the meat thoroughly with a cloth wrung out of borax water. Mix half a teaspoonful of allspice, the same quantity each of ground mace and cloves, quarter of an ounce of freshly ground black pepper and a saltspoonful of ground ginger. Rub the meat thoroughly all over with the spices and put into a deep pan and cover with a pickle made as follows: Fry for seven minutes two sliced onions, a large carrot, also sliced, a dessertspoonful of mixed herbs, a bunch of parsley and two bay leaves in an ounce of butter; then add half a pint of malt vinegar and two pints of cold water. Let it boil up and then simmer for half an hour. When the pickle is cold, strain it and pour over the meat and leave it for three days, turning it once a day. Before cooking rinse the meat with warm water, then dry it and flour it and roast in the usual way. Serve the mutton on a hot dish with a little of this sauce poured round it and send the remainder to table in a sauce tureen. To half a pint of thick brown sauce add half a wineglass of sherry, a tablespoonful of red currant jelly, a dessertspoonful of mushroom catchup and cayenne and salt to taste.

For an Overmantel.

Time was when a huge gilt frame mirror was the only ornament which could with propriety be placed above the mantelshelf. Then fashion decreed that an intricate erection of black and gold wood painted with meaningless groups of birds and flowers was the proper completion of a fireplace, but nowadays no fixed rules are framed for the arrangement of the overmantel, the result being that much individual taste and talent often appear, to the great improvement of the general effect of the room.

The accompanying sketch shows an effective and original idea for the overmantel, which may be carried out at small expense.

A working carpenter could easily achieve this overmantel, which, for the



A CLEVER IDEA.

sake of economy, might be made of good close grained deal, stained and polished. The carving of the motto would add to the expense, unless, indeed, it could be carved out by some amiable amateur more or less skilled in the art of chip carving. The lettering completed on a band of wood of the right dimensions, the overmantel should be put together, stained and varnished. The letters might be gilt, in which case they should be left unstained and the gold leaf applied last of all.

Salt an Antiseptic.

Common household salt is considered a good antiseptic, and when cast into sewers and other places where atmospheric germs may arise to poison us it does good in preventing disease, but in recent experiments it was found that there are plenty of other common mineral elements that may be used with much effectiveness. Compared with salt, calcium chloride stands as 25 to 6, and the ratios of the other antiseptics are as follows: Magnesium chloride, 104; ferrus sulphate or copperas, 90; boracic acid, 143; carbolic acid, 333; zinc chloride, 526; aluminium sulphate, 640; salicylic acid, 1,000; free chlorine, 4,000, and bichloride of mercury, 14,800. All of these antiseptics can be obtained at the druggist's with little expense, and their more general use would save many a household from sore throats, diphtheria, typhoid and other fevers.

Those Soft, Downy Pillows.

A pile of soft, downy pillows on the divan or in the cozy corner is, of course, indispensable, and a clever housekeeper has as many varieties of covering as will blend harmoniously with the coloring and decorations of the room. Oriental styles are most popular now. In dull reds, browns and greens they are shown with gay stripes. These may cover one side of the pillow, while the other is in a solid shade; or the stripes may cross one corner diagonally. On a solid background Turkish stars and crescents are embroidered or put on with spangles. A very artistic pillow of old gold silk is beautifully embroidered in bullion and has a pattern of gilt spangling as well. One pillow that stands out from all the rest is covered with black oriental goods and is adorned with three or four gold stars appliqued in bullion.

Beef Loaf.

Try beef loaf when in search of variety. Round steak is used in making it. To three pounds of round steak, after it is trimmed and chopped fine, add three soda crackers rolled, two well beaten eggs, three even teaspoonfuls of salt, half a teaspoonful of pepper, one teaspoonful of sage and half a teacup of water. Mix together very thoroughly, form into a loaf and put into a deep bread pan. Fill the pan with boiling water and bake in an oven that is hot enough for bread, basting it often.

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HUMOR OF THE HOUR.

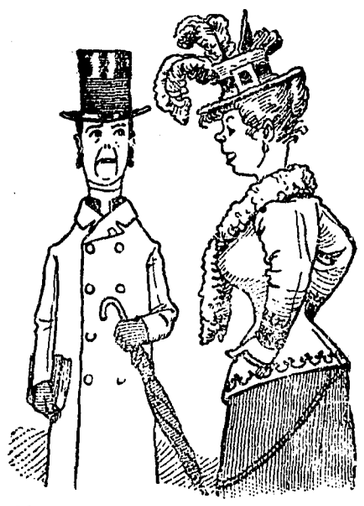
Among the varied bric-a-brac, objects of art and souvenirs of travel that adorn the walls of one of the coziest bachelor "dens" in New Orleans is a false beard and mustache put together on a gauze foundation and supplied with a pair of delicate wire hooks to go over the ears. It is jet black in color, and its effect is a trifle piratical.

"Those false whiskers," said the young broker who occupies the apartment, "are an interesting relic. When I tell you that I used them in all the banking business I did when I was abroad a couple of years ago you will no doubt look for the dark lantern and jimmy to complete the set. My experience, however, was not burglarious, and the story in a word or two is this:

"I had never been to Europe before and wasn't posted as to the best way to carry money, so on the advice of a friend who ought to have had more sense I got an old fashioned letter of credit in New York—one of those idiotic arrangements that have a photograph of the holder pasted in a little circle at the top of the page. When I procured the letter, I was wearing a full beard, which I am told changes me very materially, but while staying in London I got tired of it, and one day on a sudden impulse I had it taken off, never thinking of that confounded letter of credit.

"I had no occasion to use the document until I arrived in Paris and when I presented it at a bank there was turned down hard. The teller, or whoever he was, told me he couldn't think of paying money to a man who bore no resemblance whatever to the official photo and when I explained the situation shrugged his shoulders and advised me to come back after I grew another beard. Going out, I chanced to notice a costumer's shop and was seized with an inspiration. I rushed over, bought that curio now on the wall, returned to the bank, clapped it on my classic mug and said, 'Now gimme that money.' There was some talk, but I got it."

A Lost Sheep.



Mr. Jorkins (to late pupil of Sunday school)—It pains me, Eliza Hawkins, to see you with such feathers in your hat.

'Lizer—Yes, this damp weather do take the curl out of 'em! If you was a real gentleman, you'd give me a dollar to buy some new ones.

Ingratitude.

The editor of The Globe was lately invited to write an article for the Chicago Tribune. In it he stated that while America was poor in book literature it was noted for good literature in newspapers, adding that the best American writer he knew anything about was employed on a certain metropolitan paper. The article was republished in several papers, and letters have been pouring in asking the name of the daily publication referred to. About this time the metropolitan newspaper employing the bright editorial writer cut The Globe off its exchange list. Will we give inquirers the name of the newspaper? We will not.—Atchison Globe.

Reasons, If Not Reasonable Ones.

Speaking of cooking school graduates, why should school graduates be cooked?—Boston Globe.

Because they are not worth much unless they have shown fire enough in their school course to get occasionally into hot water. Because good discipline requires that teachers shall occasionally roast the pupils. And because the motto, expressed or implied, on every diploma ought to be, "Well done!"—Boston Advertiser.

Rubbing It In.

"Although you have refused me," sighed Clospenny, "I shall always cherish as most dear the moments I spent with you."

"Really!" she asked, with visions of the ice cream and candy and such which she never got. "And since they were so dear, will you never regret having spent them?"—Philadelphia Press.

At the Front.

He was a newspaper man. "Late war news kept me down town," he stammered as he entered the house at 5:30 a. m.

"Humph!" replied his wife. "Well, we'll make a little more war news right here for a late edition." And the battle was on.—Philadelphia North American.

Experienced Help.

"Dust the drawing room, Jane; I'm going to have a visitor."

"Shall I dust it for a lady or for a gentleman?"—Life.

A Sentiment Approved.

"Shakespeare!" said the enthusiast. "He is indeed the great bard."

"That's right," said the theater manager. "There is no doubt about his being great. And there is also no doubt about his being barred so long as I am running a theater for pecuniary purposes."—Washington Star.

Good News.

"Beware!" cried the fortune teller. "Your bitterest enemy will shortly cross your path."

"Hooray!" exclaimed the scorcher. "I won't do a thing to him." In a frenzy of joy he gave her an extra dollar.—Philadelphia Press.

What He Meant.

"What does this war correspondent mean when he says he went to the summit of a kopje to drink in the scene?"

"I suppose the kopje overlooked the laager."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

She Has Faith That He Is Cured.

Mrs. Hix—I don't take any stock in these faith cures brought about by the laying on of hands.

Mrs. Dix—Well, I do. I cured my little boy of the cigarette habit in that way.—Chicago News.

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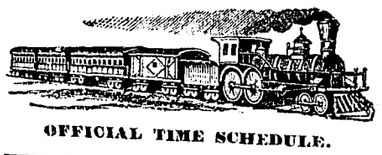

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Week-days.	Sundays	To and From	Sundays.	Week-days.
1:00 pm	2:15 pm	San Francisco San Rafael Petaluma Santa Rosa Healdsburg Lytton Cloverdale and Intermediates	1:15PM	12:30PM
1:00 pm	2:15 pm	Glen Ellen Sonoma and Intermediates	1:15PM	12:30PM
1:00 pm	2:15 pm	Sebastopol and Intermediates	1:15PM	12:30PM
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Subscribers are requested to pay up every year, for that is long enough time in which to pay a bill of only $2.50. *

For the neatest thing in the fall overcoat drop in at the "City of Ukiah." tf

The best clothing on earth is K. N. & F. sold by C. Hofman. f23-tf

W. A. Hoffman is retiring from the dry goods business. His entire stock is to be sold between now and spring. It is the place to buy goods; you know his stock has always been the best in the market and now you get them at your own price. j19-tf.

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C. Hofman has just received his full spring line of K. N. & F. clothing. Call and see them before you buy your suit. f23-tf.

Read what the San Francisco Business College says on page 7. jyf

The Grand runs free buss to and from all trains. All stages leave this house. j23tf

600 pair of men's boots and shoes still at W. A. Hoffman's. Go get them at your own price. j19-tf.

Get Miller's three-seated surrey for funerals. tf

Between 700 and 800 pair of childrens' shoes at 15 to 90 cents a pair at W. A. Hoffman's. j19-tf.

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375 pair of ladies' shoes at W. A. Hoffman's at your own price. j19-tf.

Guests at the Grand Hotel have free use of the local telephone. tf

For bargains in dress goods, ladies capes, silk waists and everything in that line call at the City of Ukiah. tf

Old subscribers should pay up and renew at once in order to get the benefit of our combination offer. *

The best lot of Boots and Shoes in town are to be found at the City of Ukiah. tf

The K. of P. ball March 9th, will be the swell affair of the season. f16

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Orr's Hot Springs, one-half interest in 400 acres and improvements. Propositions or information address John L. Orr, Orr's P. O., Mendocino County, Cal.

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Notice for Publication of Time Appointed for Probate of Will.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT, COUNTY OF Mendocino, State of California—Probate.

In the matter of the Estate of J. C. Word, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, that Monday, the 12th day of March, A. D. 1900, at 10 o'clock A. M. of that day, and the Courtroom of said Court, at the Court House, in the County of Mendocino, State of California, have been appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said J. C. Word, deceased, and for hearing the application of H. B. Muir for the issuance to him of Letters Testamentary thereon. And all persons interested in said Estate are notified to then and there appear and show cause, if any they have, why said will should not be admitted to probate, and Letters Testamentary thereon issued to said petitioner.

Dated February 21, 1900.

HALE MCCOWEN, County Clerk.

W. P. THOMAS, Attorney for Petitioner.

SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF THE COUNTY of Mendocino, State of California.

J. B. MELTON, Plaintiff,
vs.
FRANK RANDOLPH, Defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court, of the County of Mendocino, State of California, and the Complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Mendocino.

J. Q. WHITE, Attorney for Plaintiff.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to Frank Randolph, Defendant.

You are hereby directed to appear and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—if served within this county; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said Plaintiff will take judgment for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Mendocino, State of California, this 23rd day of January, A. D. 1900.

[SEAL.] HALE MCCOWEN, Clerk.

J. Q. WHITE, Attorney for Plaintiff. j26t9

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of Thomas Cooper, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, Administratrix of said deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administratrix, at the office of W. P. Thomas at Ukiah, Cal., the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated February 9, 1900.

MRS. DELITHA COOPER, Administratrix.

W. P. THOMAS, Attorney for Estate.

Notice to Creditors.

Estate of William Bell deceased.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, John Taylor, Administrator of the estate of William Bell deceased, to the Creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said Administrator at his residence in Ukiah City Mendocino County, State of California, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of the said estate in the said County of Mendocino State of California.

Dated at Ukiah, January 26, 1900.

JOHN TAYLOR
Administrator of the estate of William Bell deceased. f9

MCNAB & HIRSCH, Attorneys for Administrator

Notice to Creditors.

ESTATE OF THOMAS COWEN, DECEASED.

Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, administratrix of the estate of Thomas Cowen, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them with the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of this notice, to the said administratrix at the office of J. Q. White, in Ukiah, the same being the place for the transaction of the business of said estate, in the County of Mendocino, State of California.

Dated February 16, 1900.

MRS. ELIZABETH DAY, Administratrix of the Estate of Thomas Cowen, deceased.

J. Q. WHITE, Attorney for Administratrix.

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HUMOR OF THE HOUR.

It was a neat piece of work, and over the telephone at that.

The principals are Detroit men, and only a change of names is required to make true every word of the story.

Brown and Black are old friends. During the holidays they met upon numerous festive occasions that did not violate the spirit of the season. One evening Black found that his ready money was not up to his requirements and borrowed $10 from Brown.

Next morning Black folded a crisp note of the denomination mentioned and sent it to Brown by mail. Last Thursday Brown called Black up by telephone and opened the conversation pleasantly by asking if it would be convenient to pay the $10.

"Have paid it," came back the reply. "Sent it last month and within 24 hours of the time I borrowed it. Didn't you get it, old man?"

"No, I didn't get it," in a tone that was a little chilly. "Registered letter, postal order or check?"

"Neither. Simply folded the bill and inclosed it."

"Foolish! Very foolish! I never got it."

Then Black's shrewdness came into play. "But there was a return card on the envelope."

"No, there wasn't. Nothing on it but the address."

"I know it. Send me a receipt and include an apology."

"Well, I guess not! What do you take me for? Just"— Then Brown "tumbled to himself." "Hold on!" he shouted. "Clerk says the letter is here. Oversight. Sorry. Goodby."—Detroit Free Press.

Her Reason.

"Why did Mrs. Frizzington, the rich widow who furnished all the money for the business she and you have started, want the name of the firm to be 'Rootle & Frizzington' instead of 'Frizzington & Rootle,' as it ought to be, seeing that she is much more heavily interested than you?"

"She didn't want to be referred to as 'the senior partner.'"—Chicago Times-Herald.

New Form of Lunacy.

"Ricketts, don't you have fits sometimes?"

"Yes."

"Good! So do I. Let's organize an epilepsy club."—Chicago Tribune.

"Fifty and My Expenses."

"What," said one cynic, "is fame?"

"Fame," answered the other, "is what makes you valuable to some book publisher after you're dead."—Washington Star.

Apparently He Isn't Going to Run.

"The colonel has been presented with a new rifle and a brace of pistols."

"So I heard. What office is he going to run for?"—Atlanta Constitution.

Altogether Well Endowed.

"What a rich complexion Charlotte has!"

"Yes, and her father is much richer."—Philadelphia North American.

Elevated.

Detective—Man was robbed of his purse on "L" train.

Chief—H'm! Another highway robbery.—Chicago News.

PEOPLE OF THE DAY.

Never in its history has the British parliament convened at a time so full of grave import as the present. The qualities that go to make for statesmanship will during the present session be severely tried. A trying position is that held by Hon. William C.

WILLIAM C. GULLY.

Gully, speaker of the house of commons. There are members who will not hesitate to seize the present opportunity to denounce the policy of Great Britain, and some lively and embarrassing situations may arise to try the mettle of the presiding officer.

How Sankey Met Moody.

Ira D. Sankey, to whose wonderful voice the late Dwight L. Moody was wont to credit a large share of his success in evangelistic work, feels more keenly perhaps than any one outside of his immediate family the loss of the great evangelist. For 30 years they had been close friends as well as coworkers. The first meeting of the two men was remarkable. Mr. Moody, who was then living in Chicago, and Mr. Sankey, whose home was in Pennsylvania, were elected delegates to a Christian convention held in Indianapolis in 1873. It was after 6 o'clock a. m. service in the chapel that they were introduced, and Mr. Moody walked up to the great singer and, holding out his hand, said: "Mr. Sankey, you are the man I've been looking for for eight years. You must come with me."

"I was attracted to the man at once," said Mr. Sankey in speaking of the matter recently, "but it was not until six months later that we got together and started on our work."

Still a Financial Power.

Samuel Sloan, the ex-president of the Delaware, Lackawanna and Western railroad, belongs to the old school of New York financiers, such as the original Cornelius Vanderbilt. He lives in a comfortable, old fashioned house in East Thirty-eighth street, just off Fifth avenue.

Mr. Sloan is still a power in the financial world. He is a director of the National City bank and other corporations and has not lost his interest in Lackawanna or in the old men who worked under him on that road. He was always approachable by the man with a grievance, and the employees knew that he was with them.

A Chinese Reformer's Flight.

Since the change of emperors in China and the appointment of Li Hung Chang as acting viceroy of Canton things have been warm in the Celestial climate for reformers. The Young reform party, of which Kang-Yu-Wei is the leader, is very much dissatisfied with recent changes, and there are threats of an uprising in some parts of the kingdom. Li Hung Chang is striving to nip in the bud the proposed revolt, and the secret sailing of Kang-Yu-Wei from Hongkong for Singapore shows that Li Hung Chang is looked upon as a formidable foe. The revolutionist leader expects protection in Singapore, as the reform party is very strong there, but it is reported on good authority that four of the emissaries of the empress dowager recently left Peking pledged to assassinate Kang-Yu-Wei wherever he took refuge regardless of their own fate.

KANG-YU-WEI.

Miss Hay's Search For Rhymes.

Miss Hay, daughter of the secretary of state, has just finished a novel which deals with Washington society. Besides being a graceful poet, she is also a lover of nature study. A favorite summer pastime of hers is collecting odd minerals and fossils. Once when bringing home a lot of specimens she met a friend who commented upon her treasures:

"'Sermons in stones!' You'll get a big library if you keep on."

"I beg your pardon," was the response; "you are mistaken. I am looking for rhymes in rocks, and these are a few of the verses."

Reminded.

Mrs. Lakeside—I saw something today that called up a vague recollection of my first marriage.

Mr. Lakeside—Did you? What was it?

Mrs. Lakeside—My first husband. I hadn't seen him for years.—Philadelphia Press.

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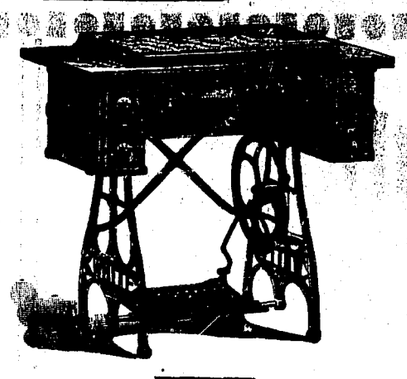

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We extend to you a cordial invitation to call and examine our wonderful stock

NEWS FROM NEARBY TOWNS

Our Regular Contributions to Mendocino's History.

Personal Notes and News in General as Chronicled by Our Reporters.

WILLITS ITEMS.

WILLITS, March 6.

Patriots are scarce in our little town, if being a candidate for office is any criterion by which we may go. The candidates for our municipal offices are as yet quite scarce. There are to be elected two trustees, a clerk and a city marshal. Mumm Reid, our present efficient marshal, shies at the thot of a re-election, together with its munificent salary of $10 per month. Mumm is very optimistic. "The railroad is coming," he says, "and how can I afford at that price to run in all the hoboes, the drunk and disorderly etc., that will flock to our town at the "toot" of the first whistle. Several very worthy men have already been mentioned for trustees.

There is every promise of abundant crops this season. On account of the heavy rain fall much of the low land is still untouched.

Those among us who are anxious for our mail to arrive are much disgusted at the lateness of the hour at which it arrives. I suppose the poor roads retard it some and unfit stock a great deal.

The ladies of the town have a movement on foot to establish a Rebecca Lodge at this place. They have already completed much of the preliminary work. I hear they have assurance of a good membership. We are pleased to see such a lodge start here for the sake of the young people of the town. Such organizations always serve for the upbuilding and elevation of character as well as a source of excellent training and social amusement. It should meet the hearty support of all young folks as well as the older ones.

The Misses Simonson entertained a number of their friends Thursday evening with a social party. These talented young ladies are charmingly suited to entertain and those present report a delightful time. Two other parties marked the week's social affairs. One at the home of Mrs. Longland, the other at the Haehl home. Both were social successes.

Rev. Pierce begins his pastorate at the local Baptist church Wednesday night, when he will meet his congregation and the citizens of the town for the first time. We hope his stay among us will redound to the success of the church and a betterment of the town.

Theodore Fulwider is back again from Ukiah where he has been under the doctor's care for several weeks.

Mrs. McPeak is at Dr. Cleveland's sanitarium being treated for cancer.

Bertram Simpson, of San Francisco has accepted a position with Irvine & Muir as clerk.

As near as I can report the Little Lake teachers for the coming terms are as follows: Willits, J. A. Joyce and Miss Rosa Hall; Little Lake, Miss Van Allen; Sawyers, N. P. Howe; Whitcomb, Miss Maggie Simonson; Sylvan, Ida Simonson.

As was stated above there is very little interest taken in municipal politics, which is contrary to what things used to be. Some county politics is heard of occasionally when the boys sit around the store on rainy days and talk matters over. It is reported here now on good authority that our old friend Sanford will not be a candidate for the assembly this year, but has his weather eye out for something better two years hence; and as a consequence there has been some talk about J. B.'s successor. Many of the leading democrats here have suggested J. A. Joyce, our worthy principal. Now that strikes me about right. Joyce has made us a good teacher, is studying law on the side and is trying to climb up; and whenever I do find a young man that's ambitious, he's the man I want to boost along because we have so many that are willing to drift. Young men are the best men to elect to this office any how. Joyce is well acquainted from Greenwood to Usal on the coast and is well known in the valleys, so I suggest his name for the politically inclined to think about. M. T. S.

YORKVILLE NEWS.

YORKVILLE, February 26.

We are having sunshine and wind at present, but no rain excepting a few showers Sunday evening.

Our pastor, Rev. Armstrong, is with us this week and will hold quarterly meeting in this place on March 5th at the school house.

School will start the first Monday in March with Miss Evalyn Owens as teacher.

Mrs. F. G. Ledford has been having very poor health the last two weeks.

Maye Ledford was the guest of Rosa Ledford Saturday and Sunday. Maye is a charming young lady and we like to have her with us.

Quite a few from this place attended the Citrus Fair at Cloverdale last week.

Homer Cox, of Pine Grove, took a band of hogs to Cloverdale on the 24th.

Will Collins, of Hermitage, was hurt last Sunday by having a horse fall back on him.

The roads are drying very fast and will soon be passable for freight wagons.

Mrs. Budd Richard is the guest of Mrs. Lee Hiatt this week.

Harry Nobles, of the Nobles ranch, Chess Byron, Bob Cooper and Will Collins, of Hermitage, were seen on our streets Sunday. EL SABIO.

BOONVILLE BUDGET.

BOONVILLE, March 4.

I thot Paul Jones was going to send a letter to your paper last week or I would have sent in a few items.

The "Mother Goose" entertainment was a decided success, and much credit is due Mrs. Mitto Rawles and her pupils. The cake walk was the most pleasing feature of the evening. Many an older girl envied little Blossom Vestal, Kent Wallach and Melissa Ball as they gracefully tripped across the stage.

Chas. Lawson sang a very touching solo. After the program, refreshments were served, then we wended our way homewards, thanking the pretty school teacher and her pupils for a pleasant evening.

The mother of Mrs. R. T. Hutsell has been quite sick but is now on the road to recovery.

Miss Theresa Dougherty returned to her school in Ornbaun valley yesterday.

The Boonville school opened with a very large attendance.

Miss Rose McGough will wield the birch in the Westport school.

The Boonville hotel is to change hands again, I hear. What's the matter, John?

Boonville is rapidly growing in size; I see a new saloon is being built opposite *C. A.* Yordi's store.

George Lambert paid a flying visit to Ukiah last week. George is our deputy assessor.

Mrs. J. E. Reilly and Miss H. Scott passed thru our little burg en route for Ukiah.

I hear "Unkle" has sent for an X ray. I wonder why?

The railroad meeting was well attended Saturday afternoon. A large number from down the valley came up. The thots of having a railroad made some of them feel quite jolly.

Ed Singley made his appearance in town the other day in a new buggy. Who will be the first fortunate young lady?

The Lawson Bros. have been graveling the roads and a great improvement is noticed.

SAMATHA ANN.

WESTPORT ITEMS.

WESTPORT, March 3.

The crops along the coast look very promising (at this season of the year) for an abundant harvest.

The outlook for the lumber business is very encouraging. We understand the demand is now greater than the supply. We believe ties, bark and all coast products will be in good demand, but the outlook for shipping our product is not very encouraging owing to the Cape Nome excitement, which will absorb the majority of our coast steamers.

The Nome excitement has not touched our people to a craze as yet, only a few so far have made up their minds to lay in a stock of mosquito netting and snow shoes.

Dave Gill and Bert Dingley came up this week from the city and, after attending to some business matters connected with the De Haven Lumber Company, returned again last Wednesday. We believe it is the intention of these gentlemen to return in about three weeks with a bull donkey and locomotive and start active operations for running the De Haven mill as early as possible.

W. J. Rogers, of San Jose, has been spending a few days at Rockport looking after the business of the Cottaneva Lumber Company, of which he is manager. He passed thru here yesterday on his way home.

The Inspector of Post Offices, passed thru on Friday, having been north looking after the change of postmasters at Monroe P. O.

We have had quite a number of sick neighbors around town, but I am pleased to say they are all improving; thanks to Dr. Sherwood's skill and constant attendance. We are glad he does not intend to rusticate in Cape Nome.

Mrs. W. A. Gordon, of Wages Creek, has been very sick during this week, but we are pleased to hear she is somewhat improved.

Quite a pleasant time was enjoyed at the dance given by the young folks in John's hall.

We met our genial Judge on the street this forenoon dressed up in his best bib and tucker, and ventured to inquire if he was going to the ball. He pleasantly informed us he was not, but was celebrating the 34th anniversary of his wedding day, which took place in San Francisco March 3rd, 1866.

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